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IN ALL DIVINE PERFECTIONS,

AND IN COVENANT RELATIONSHIP WITH HIS PEOPLE,

THE "GOD OF ALL GRACE,"

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PREFACE

TO THE NEW AND ENLARGED MUSICAL EDITION OF

"Songs of Grace and Glory."

THE Editors have been occupied a considerable time in preparing this New and ENLARGED Musical Edition. And now it is humbly dedicated to the Triune Jehovah, in the prayerful hope that it may be still further used for making known His revealed TRUTH through the refreshing and impressive melodies of holy Song and Tune. No pains or costs have been spared to make it as perfect and complete as our finite powers permit.

The musical Editor, the late beloved FRANCES RIDLEY HAVERGAL, after composing several New and Beautiful Tunes, and carefully re-arranging the whole, has been called to join the heavenly choir above. Not, however, until she had first bequeathed to the Church of Christ these results of her matured judgment.

Several of her New and Beautiful compositions (which are here published for the first time) bear full and ample testimony to high culture and refinement.

The exquisite tune she named "Linus," composed only a few months before her death, and written both in the minor and major, affords full illustration of this. Nor can we forget to mention the soothing comfort and happiness imparted on her dying couch as she gave utterance to the deep and holy feelings of her soul in singing "Jesus, I will trust Thee," to her own beautiful tune "Hermas," which has ever been so deservedly popular. The hymn will be found numbered 569 in this and every edition.

Her honoured Father, the late Canon Havergal, led the way in the reform of Church music; and she has well sustained and carried on the great work of raising the musical standard, and introducing a higher tone of grand and holy music for the more reverential worship of the great and holy God. It is no question of mere favourite views, but the laying down of certain great principles for Church music, and protesting against all secular strains, whether operatic, light, or tripping. Frances Ridley Havergal warmly advocated the "higher class" of sacred music, and only with a protest admitted a few deviations in deference to the wishes of others.

Many will be surprised at the large number of well known and favourite Tunes to be found here. But the truth concerning these ought to be declared. There is scarcely a Tune Book of any note in the land, but is indebted to, and has made use of Canon Havergal's Tunes and Harmonizations and those of his daughter. I need only mention the well known tune "Evan," the popularity of which, in England, Scotland, America, and the Colonies, is quite unprecedented; (it was written by Canon Havergal about the year 1867,

see note in "Havergal's Psalmody," page 19 in Preface;) while such tunes as Havilah, Hobah, Zaanaim, Shen, and Chesalon, etc., etc., are still more valuable. Among the most beautiful tunes of his daughter must be reckoned Euodias, Hermas, Persis, Tryphosa, St. Paul, and Linus, etc., together with a number of exquisite Hymn Chants.

The present New Edition has involved a large outlay, both of time and thought, which have been humbly offered to the Lord, in the prayerful hope of edifying and refreshing His Church, and thereby promoting His praise and glory.

Meanwhile the Hymns themselves have received a wide circulation, both at home and

abroad, both for private devotion as well as family and public worship.

Testimonies, from Churches and Missionaries, have poured in from all parts, speaking of the spiritual help and blessing received through former editions. Letters from India, Australia, and America tell of the great refreshment received. New Zealand, Cape Town, and the Holy Land could also speak of the same.

It is hoped this New Edition may prove still more useful, and the long continued and

prayerful efforts be crowned with enlarged blessing.

This work probably forms the largest collection of Hymns and Tunes in the Church of England in one volume. And these Hymns afford the richest variety, adapted to the varying wants and experiences of the Christian life, comprising every doctrine of Holy Scripture and every truth taught by our beloved and scriptural Church. The price also, being so moderate, places it within the reach of all.

Several fine Tunes have been added to this work; many of them written on purpose, others contributed through the kindness of friends.

From the experience of some years, since first bringing out this work, we have been able to make important and useful changes in the selection of Tunes for some of our Hymns. Experience alone can adequately supply such information. And when it is remembered tunes had to be selected and arranged for ELEVEN HUNDRED hymns (!) the task will appear no light and easy matter. Great pains were bestowed by that eminent servant of God, Frances Ridley Havergal; and she has left a memorial in this as well as in her other works, of that highly gifted mind and refinement of taste with which she was so richly endowed. We had together planned the whole work, and bestowed much time upon the selection of so many tunes of varied metres and characteristics. A few only were left for after determination.

And now what remained to be done after her lamented departure has been both skilfully and kindly carried out by my friend, Septimus Ernest Luke Lillingston, Esq., whose musical genius fully qualified him to watch over and execute the remainder of the work. In corroboration of this our readers are referred to that sublime hymn of Toplady, No. 439, which having seven verses of different lengths, and different metres, had hitherto defied all efforts to compose any grand and suitable tune. This great difficulty is however now fully overcome by Mr. Lillingston, as will be seen in the touching and beautiful Hymn Chant named "Celestial," composed by him and so exquisitely adapted to the words.

Our eleven hundred Hymns are arranged under their appropriate subjects with a Tune printed to each. References to alternative Tunes are also given where desirable.

The First Index (which is, perhaps, the most interesting of all) shows the Arrange-MENT of Hymns under their own proper subject; and the subjects are taken in consecutive order according to their relative importance, the whole forming a perfect synopsis of the revealed Truths of Holy Scripture.

A carefully revised Index, No. II., shows WHAT HYMNS are more especially suitable for EACH SUNDAY and HOLY DAY throughout the Christian year.

An Index of Authors, No. III., with their respective Hymns, is also given, showing where to find all the Hymns of the various Authors.

In like manner an Index of Tunes, No. IV., alphabetically arranged, shows all the hymns that may be sung to each Tune, and the numerals show where to find them.

Another Index of Tunes, No. V., arranged according to metre, points out at a glance all the L. M. and C. M. and S. M. and peculiar metres in succession, and their respective Hymns.

Lastly, at end of book, the Sixth Index gives the First Lines of all the Hymns, and where they are to be found.

The eleven tunes given to the Doxologies, being some of most general use and greatest merit, and being placed together, may often be found acceptable for reference, besides their use with the Doxologies.

The Editor cannot but record the kind and gracious Providence of God in raising up one after another to assist him in carrying out this great work. It was thrust upon him many years ago by friends who knew the Hymnal Treasures he possessed, many of them very scarce and valuable. After much reluctance he consented to undertake it; and, amidst great difficulties and numerous pressing engagements, is constrained to bear this testimony, "The Lord hath helped me." Verily the work has grown and reached such dimensions as he never contemplated. Various Editions and Forms, represented by the letters A, B, C, up to S, T, U, have been published; and more than three hundred thousand copies printed.

In many respects it differs from the ordinary Church Hymn Book, since it is prepared for Private and Family Devotion, as well as for Public Worship, thereby presenting the advantage of one Hymn Book for all purposes both in private and public. The preparation of this work has been particularly helpful, not only through the beautiful hymns themselves, but also in the careful selection and arrangement of them under the many precious doctrines and truths of Holy Scripture.

May the Lord Jehovah vouchsafe to those who shall make use of this volume as rich or still richer and more abundant blessing.

And to the Triune and Covenant God, FATHER, Son, AND HOLY GHOST, be devoutly and gratefully ascribed all Honour and Glory and Praise, now, and throughout the countless ages of eternity.

ORIGINAL PREFACE TO THE MUSICAL EDITION

OF

"Songs of Grace and Glory."

(BY FRANCES RIDLEY HAVERGAL.)

Many will be surprised at the large number of well-known and favourite tunes in "Havergal's Psalmody." The fact is that "Havergal's Old Church Psalmody" has been the fountain from which editors of subsequent collections have drawn, either at first or second hand, and the original guide to many valuable tune sources, both English and foreign. It was the Columbus of tune-books; the pioneer, not to a New, but to an Old World of musical treasure. Now, the route is open and easy.

The retiring and unselfish spirit of its editor, as well as his devotion to yet higher work, prevented that assertion of its true position before the multitude which has always been accorded to it by the highest musical authorities.

The selections from "Havergal's Psalmody" will be found, as experience has proved them to be, easily learnt, greatly liked, and practically adapted for congregational singing. Of one of these, Dr. Lowell Mason, the great American promoter of choral singing, wrote as follows:—"I have lately introduced into my choir, and sung with admirable effect, your tune 'Eden.' The effect of it was truly magnificent. My choir consists of about sixty singers; the different parts are well sustained, and about equally balanced. I have never heard anything come nearer to my beau ideal of Church Music than did the singing of this tune, on a fine Sabbath morning, in a church filled with people. It made a deep impression; and the next day one and another was asking, 'What tune did you sing yesterday morning?' 'Where did you get that tune?' etc. The performance of 'Eden' makes one feel as did Jacob at Luz, and involuntarily exclaim, 'This is none other but the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven.' Wonderful would be the effect of Psalmody were all the people to unite in such lofty and majestic strains."—April 30, 1847.

In order to meet the increasing proportion of "peculiar measures," a number of tunes have been adapted from the Rev. W. H. Havergal's own melodies (chiefly from unpublished MSS.), while, for extra measures which could not be thus supplied, tunes have been added by other hands [F. R. H. and others].

The name of each tune at once supplies information as to its origin. Old English, Scotch, or German tunes bear respectively English, Scotch, or German names; those by

the Rev. W. H. Havergal are named, with a few exceptions, from the natural geography of the Bible; the tunes added by F. R. H. [Frances Ridley Havergal] are named from "the friends of St. Paul."

"Havergal's Psalmody," a memorial to one whose works do follow him, was originally given to the church by his devoted widow, and "dedicated to his beloved, honoured, and cherished memory." The Large Type or Organ editions of "Havergal's Psalmody" contain Kyries, Glorias, and other additions not included in the present hymnal edition; while editions A and B contain Prefaces and Historical Notes, which are quoted as "a treasury of information and an armoury of defence of the principles of Church Music." A and D include "A Century of Chants." *

As the tunes have not been affixed to the hymns without much thought and prayer, and very careful consideration as to which tune will best develop the spirit of each hymn, and emphasize its most important points, it is strongly advised that, generally speaking, the tunes indicated should be adhered to.

On the other hand, as the great aim of making our singing congregational is not attained if too many new tunes are attempted at once, it is well to introduce them gradually, repeating each newly learnt tune at short intervals, until quite familiar. It is advisable to begin with a few tunes in such metres as occur abundantly.

The following selection of peculiar metres may be found useful at first, as giving a wide range of hymns. Hermas, for 6 5, 6 5. D.; Zoan I., for spirited and joyous hymns in 7 6, 7 6. D.; and Mahanaim (or Goldbach), for quieter hymns in the same metre; Lubeck and Patmos, respectively, for the two classes of hymns in 7 7, 7 7; Nassau and Sihor, for 7 7, 7 7, 7 7; Culbach and Frankfort (or Godesberg), for 8 7, 8 7; Zaanaim and Idumea, for 8 7, 8 7, 4 7 (or 8 7, 8 7, 8 7); Magdalene College and Kedron, for 8 8 6. D.; and Paran, for 11 11, 11 11.

1875.

FRANCES RIDLEY HAVERGAL.

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ABRIDGEMENT OF ORIGINAL PREFACE

TO

"Songs of Grace and Glory."

A BRIEF statement of a few facts connected with this Hymnal may be desirable.

It is designed for Private, Family, and Public Worship. It was undertaken by request, and is the result of thirty years' collection.

The discovery of authors and dates to more than one thousand hymns; the careful comparison with the originals, and the restoration (as far as practicable) to those originals; the selection of suitable texts of Holy Scripture for each hymn; the appropriation of suitable tunes; the arrangement of 1,025 hymns under classified subjects and Scripture truths; the drawing up of many carefully prepared indices; and the large correspondence involved throughout the whole;—all these several items have fully occupied the spare time at command of the Editor for several years.

The great object of this Hymnal is to spread the glorious gospel of the grace of God, by representing, in sacred verse, all the doctrines of Holy Scripture, including the deeper mysteries of the everlasting Covenant, and the glorious Second Advent of the Messiah. By thus aiding the memory, it may become, through God's blessing, a channel of holy influences on the heart and life.

The Editor acknowledges, with grateful appreciation, the kindness and courtesy of so many authors, including the highest dignitaries of our Church, whose labours have enriched this volume, and who have most generously given permission to reprint.

No labour or expense has been spared to render this Hymnal useful and comprehensive, both as a work of reference, instruction, and refreshment for individuals and families, and as a practical and complete supply of all the requirements for Divine worship.

Every doctrine of Holy Scripture, all the seasons of our ecclesiastical year, and all the hopes and conflicts of the individual believer, have been carefully represented.

May it be found at the Great Day that we have not laboured in vain, nor spent our strength for nought; and to the "God of all Grace," our Triune Covenant and Faithful God, shall be all the "Glory."

PERRY BARR, November, 1871.

CHARLES B. SNEPP.

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HOLY DAYS OF THE CHRISTIAN YEAR.

		MOR	NING.		AFTE	RNOON.		EVEN	ING.	
Sundays of Advent:-										
First	294	1090	Pt. ii.	299	297	301	300	298	336	1091
Second	397	396	301	293	305	388	384	310	382	395
Third	992	993	757	760	187	758	991	758	429	431
Fourth	204	135	Pt. ii.		150	313	533	320	948	1044
Christmas Day, Dec. 25	199	202	195	Pt. ii.	200	201	197	204	205	203
December 26	149	752	747							
December 27	4	592	747							
December 28	438	751	747							
Sunday after Christmas	164	191	608	1076	203	916	198	917	573	914
The Circumcision of Christ,	* O ** O	212	104	100						
New Year's Day, Jan. 1 }	1078	212	164	162						
First Sunday in the Year	911	921	1067	913	910	912	1077	1078	932	1080
The Epiphany, Jan. 6	207	210	211	206			167	209	887	Pt. ii.
Sundays after Epiphany:-										
First	207	210	211	208	319	878	206	165	877	919
Second	883	900	163	621	875	881	120	661	660	901
Third	329	221	1043	415	403	Pt. ii.	323	222	613	612
Fourth	578	579	142	713	151	379	529	581	708	576
Fifth	420	730	664	665	144	728	629	116	419	423
Sixth	676	677	Pt. ii.	675	801	143	687	425	682	681
Septuagesima	50	89	1003	91	87	95	. 342	90	341	330
Sexagesima	133	569	811	813	469	454	517	722	702	721
Quinquagesima	605	589	595	594	591	592	496	572	596	589
Ash Wednesday	499	501	500	862						
Sundays in Lent:										
First	499	477	503	Pt. ii.	479	468	470	501	500	462
Second	488	703	704	705	182	183	537	539	732	711
Third	549	550	633	535	575	577	465	466	715	1065
Fourth	451	486	677	Pt. ii.	548	490	475	476	14	471
Fifth	242	239	275	241	521	532	350	70	$Pt.\mathrm{ii}.$	Pt.ii.
Sunday before Easter	225	226	228	283	216	229	129	240	5 99	227
Monday in Passion Week	221	241	607							
Tuesday ,, ,,	220	633	235							
Wednesday ", ",	806	166	229							
Thursday ,, ,,	230	Pt. ii	. <i>Pt</i> . ii	i.						
Good Friday	233	239	236	235	166	784	240	234	241	242

		MORN	IING.		AFTEI	RNOON.		EVEN	ING.	
Easter Even	244 248 256 261	245 258 251 253	246 254 254 250	717 257	148	255	249	253	250	256
Sundays after Easter:— First	254	261	259	258	806	311	251	271	Pt.ii.	260
Second	214	600	934	177	153	462	730	179	618	607
Third	291	366	506	Pt. ii.	405	404	407	410	957	Pt. ii
Fourth	349	42	44	367	954	80	1007	33	38	700
Fifth	528	32	398	734	278	733	800	286	717	902
Ascension Day	264	Pt. ii.	266	•	284	289	265	270	268	
Sunday after Ascension Day	265	264	Pt. ii.	282	267	274	321	275	288	Pt.ii
Whitsunday	361	Pt. ii.	368	350	355	369	343	346	378	Pt. ii
Monday in Whitsun Week	373	371	372				0.20	020	.,.	
Tuesday in Whitsun Week	354	362	370							
Trinity Sunday	1	3	4	11	21	7	2	Pt.ii.	12	900
After Trinity:—						·	_			
First	24	14	23	17	149	15	30	29	16	22
Second	28	522	193	467	25	26	611	642	1086	Pt.ii
Third	653	754	755	8	524	34	562	753	444	558
Fourth	1009	536	302	340	559	1006	1010	953	1011	1008
Fifth	803	633	1072	36	322	327	638	640	639	326
Sixth	984	1025	1012	1024	433	435	1001	$Pt.\mathrm{ii}.$	Pt.iii	. Pt.
Seventh	473	489	428	426	827	667	191	810	734	407
Eighth	65	120	101	432	112	98	828	47	103	606
Ninth	623	184	194	939	570	441	601	707	698	891
Tenth	797	363	483	494	587	610	488	569	485	493
Eleventh	77	835	413	617	668	670	429	573	572	956
Twelfth	804	695	696	671	718	723	20	Pt. ii.	29	725
Thirteenth	799	646	986	987	113	109	181	568	425	27
Fourteenth	795	$Pt.\mathrm{ii}.$	614	1002	637	974	831	106	66	832
Fifteenth	108	105	721	423	636	624	603	608	839	817
Sixteenth	137	716	324	Pt. ii.	971	130	665	653	666	821
Seventeenth	792	78	448	442	918	472	846	969	Pt. ii.	463
Eighteenth	726	549	706	421	176	729	656	838	732	953
Nineteenth	370	692	Pt. ii.	682	354	145	372	400	398	956
Twentieth	627	424	428	628	840	841	824	654	650	1005
Twenty-First	626	644	645	635	655	658	966	968	990	819
Twenty-Second	647	725	431	446	331	314	438	434	974	991
Twenty-Third	691	1013	Pt.ii.	1015	337	839	1020	1041	Pt. ii	. 1021
Twenty-Fourth *	1023	704	1049	$Pt.~{ m ii.}$	62	63	430	1025	121	1019
Sunday next before Advent	417	173	416	685	317	316	949	735	304	1003

^{*} If more Sundays before Advent, see Hymns for Fifth and Sixth Sundays after Epiphany.

Note.—The Proper Lessons, Collect, Epistle, or Gospel, will be found to have suggested the key-note for each day, thus preserving the unity of the service, whenever hymns specially appropriate to the sermon have not been selected.

									MORN	ING.	
St. Andrew's Day, November	r 30							9.19	489	747	
St. Thomas, December 21							.	524	251	747	
Conversion of St. Paul, Janu	ary 2	5						554	765	747	
Presentation of Christ in the	Tem	ple,	Febru	ary	2			216	687	32	
St. Matthias' Day, February	24							757	758	747	
The Annunciation, March 25								137	162	164	
St. Mark's Day, April 25.								670	744	747	
St. Philip and St. James, Ma	ıy 1							187	637	747	
St. Barnabas the Apostle, Ju	ine 11							366	533	747	
St. John Baptist, June 24								499	149	747	
St. Peter's Day, June 29.								399	398	747	
St. James the Apostle, July	25							506	Pt. ii.	747	
St. Bartholomew, August 24								396	712	747	
St. Matthew, September 21								949	739	747	
St. Michael and All Angels,	Septe	mbe	r 29					753	754	755	
St. Luke the Evangelist, Oct	ober 1	.8						170	696	747	
St. Simon and St. Jude, Oct	ober 2	28						810	1044	747	
All Saints' Day, November 1								748	438	749	

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Hymn	ı. Tune.	Hym	n. Tune.	Hymn	r. Tune.	Hym	n. Tune.	Hymr	I. Tune.
39	Gilboa.	387	Succoth.	526	Nassau.	683	Jordan.	1018	Sheba.
49	Lubeck.	399	Mahanaim.	531	Gershom.	701	Goldbach, Pt.I.	1022	St. Dunstan.
59	Paran.	401	Bevan.	534	Old Ten. Com.	710	Beulah.	1045	Hobah.
67	St. Michael.	436	Jordan.	540	Thyatira.	742	Merom.	1048	Urbane.
68	Eden.	439	Celestial.	543	Evan I.	772	Boston.	1055	Evan I.
69	Moriah.	453	Altorf.	545	Sardis.	798	Melcombe.	1056	"Better farther
72	French.	456	St. George.	546	Gethsemane.	808	Narenza.		on."
73	Hanover.	458	Faith.	556	Harts.	820	St. Gregory.	1057	Urbane.
74	Kedron.	459	Church Tri-	564	St. Chrysostom.	822	Thyatira.	1059	"The Great
76	Franconia.		umphant.	565	Expectation.	834	Melcombe.		Physician."
81	Crescens.	461	Gloucester.	567	St. Ethelburga.		Evan II.	1060	Everton.
84	MagdaleneColl.	479	Vienna.	582	Smyrna.	897	Laodicea.	1061	"More to fol-
100	Vienna.	481	Purday.	586	Godesberg.	905	Kedron.		low."
127	Moriah.	504	Beulah.	632	Goshen.	925	Patmos.	1070	"Safe in the
134	Moscow.	508	Honidon.	649	Eirene.	929	St. Theodulph.		arms."
281	Stuttgard.	511	Armageddon.	663	Boston.	938	Sternberg.	1071	"Sweet hour
338	Mizpeh.	513	St.Chrysostom.		Besor.	941	Munich.		of prayer."
375	St. Asaph.	516	Gethsemane.	674	Frankfort.	967	Sternberg.	1092	Dismissal.
376	Old Ten Com.	518	Sardis.	679	Godesberg.	970	Linus.	1093	Zoan I.
385	Maon.	523	Crasselius.	680	Gilboa.	1017	Aristarchus.	1	

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HYMN AMANA	888 S. M	Rev. W. H. Havergal . Frances Ridley Havergal Old Church Psalmody . Frances Ridley Havergal Frances Ridley Havergal Frances Ridley Havergal Frances Ridley Havergal Rev. W. H. Havergal .	139. 898. 759. 87 in "S. G. G. for the Young." 642, *1094. 324, 413. 724, 906, 1017. 372, 511, 802, 1012.
ARRAN	C. M. 87, 87. D S. M	(Adapted F. R. H.) Rev. W. H. Havergal Old Church Psalmody Rev. W. H. Havergal	631, 940. 232. 242, 260, 435, 627, 665, 799, 952.
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BERG BASHAN	66,66	Rev. W. H. Havergal . Old Church Psalmody Rev. W. H. Havergal .	108, 386, 691, 787. 75, 112, 576, 584, 776, 950. 137, 300, 559, 560, 571, 590, 669,
BETHABARA BETHANY BETHAVEN BETHER BEULAH BEVAN BOHEMIA BOSTON BREMEN BRIDEHEAD "BRIGHT JEWELS"	888,6	Rev. W. H. Havergal Sir John Goss German Dr. Lowell Mason Old Church Psalmody Rev. A. H. D. Troyte William F. Sherwin	761. 110. 367. 903, 920. 464. 504, 710, 1027. 401, 918. 964. 663, *772, 937. 861. 316, 492, 591. 97 in "S. G. G. for the Young."
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DALMATIA	S. M	Rev. W. H. Havergal . Rev. W. H. Havergal . Frances Ridley Havergal Rev. J. Darwell . Orlando Gibbons . Frances Ridley Havergal Rev. W. H. Havergal .	676, 782. 370, 1085. 396. 188, 224, 257, 611, 827. 196, 446. 994. 190, 360, 714.
DISMISSAL	S7, S7, S7	(Composed in a Dream) W. L. Viner German Old Church Psalmody Old Church Psalmody Old Litany	470, 817, 818, 895, 1092. 206, 207, 836. 756. 451, 862. 664, 819.
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EDGBASTON	65, 65. D	Rev. J. R. Matthews . Martin Luther . Frances Ridley Havergal	163. 628. 29, 292, 648, 649, 708, 971, 1084.
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PARAN	10 10, 11 11; or 11 11,	Rev. W. H. Havergal .	50, 59, 173, 299, 411, 423, 581,
Patmos	77,77	Rev. W. H. Havergal .	698, 992, 993, *1050, 1066. 22, 151, 179, 278, 355, 384, 491, 592, 618, 640, 717, 815, 835, 842, 843, 910, *925, 935, 936, 953, 1047, 1052, 1072.
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SARDIS	Hymn Chant	(Adapted F. R. H.) Frances Ridley Havergal	35, 64, 175, 378, 518, 545, 552, 558, *579, 641, 705, 749.
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SHEN	87,87. D	(Adapted F. R. H.) Rev. W. H. Havergal	47, 254, 264, 398, 406.
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SHENIR II , .	77,77	Rev. W. H. Havergal .	350, 353, 593, 722, 777, 829, 830, 896, 917.
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		Goshen .				1078.
		Köcker .	• •	•	•	524, 632, 854, 1015, 1081. 55 in "S. G. G. for the Young."
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	GOLDSTERN	111, 317.
	MAHANAIM	5, 95, 253, 274, 399, 490, 682, 703, 957,
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	" More to Follow"	1061.
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76, 86. D	EASTHAM	986.
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77,77	ABILENE	S53.
	Durham	664, 819.
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	Lubeck	49, 60, 200, 213, 249, 311, 610, 629, 887, 1016.
	Luxemburg	965.
	OLDENBURG	356.
	PATMOS	22 151 170 278 355 384 401 502 618
	IAIMOS	22, 151, 179, 278, 355, 384, 491, 592, 618, 640, 717, S15, S35, S42, 843, 910, *925, 935, 936, 953, 1047, 1052, 1072.
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	Dimenia	1000
	PATROBAS	1026.
	PISGAH	184, 199, 248, 267, 326, 626, 1019.
	PLEYEL	916.
	REPHAIM	255, 269.
	SHENIR II	350, 353, 593, 722, 777, 829, 830, 896, 917.
	SILOAM	482, 484, 998.
	VIENNA	100, 105, 168, 217, 479, 521, 537, 668, 915.
77, 77, 77.	D_1x	206, 207, 836.
	HEATHIANDS	609.
	Nassau	2, 32, 195, 410, 420, *526.
	Pharpar	268.
	RATISBON	19, 363, 381, 675.
	REDHEAD	244.
	SIHOR	229, 230, 462, 474, 570, 768, 788, 856, 904,
		991, 1028.
77, 77. D	"COMING TO THE CROSS" .	1047.
,	HESHBON, or PARRACOMBE .	4.40
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77, 87. 77, 87, 87 : : :	"Knocking"	1053.
77,87,87	ZOAN II.	325, 335, 397, *931.
77, 87. D	"OH THAT WILL BE JOYFUL".	928.
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85, 83. D	URBANE, Part II.	1040
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87, 87, 3	Persis	, 120, 689, 721, 839, 1036.
87, 87, 44, 87		557.
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87, 87, 6666, 7		623.
87, 87, 77		. 288, 313, 339, 881.
	CASSEL	303, 693, 694, 745.
	PURDAY	*481, 519, 771, 865.
	Succoth	23, 153, 387, 444, 870, 1010.
87, 87, 7776	((m - C D 11	, 1059.
87, 87, 87; or 447	CIVITAS REGIS MAGNI	. 295, 336, 405, 671, 996.
	D	470, 817, 818, 895, 1092,
	HAVILAH	38, 85, 210, 211, 301, 302, 400, 407, 414, 447,
		809, 810, 837, 984.
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97 97 D	Avicanina	878, 919, 1024, 1075, 1080.
87, 87. D.	Augsburg	
	ESDRAELON	. 130, 146, 282, 349, 395, 608.
		7, *348, 636, 1060.
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or 15 15, 15 15	LINUS	415, 416, 438, 506, 520, 533, 639, 734, 753,
	~	968 (major and minor), 970, 1043, *1087.
		17 , 20, 21, 866, 867, 921, 1029.
or 15 15, 15 15	SHEN	
	St. Asaph	3/0,000.
87, 87, 887; or 88, 888	ALTORF, or LUTHER'S HYMN .	*453, 988, 1021.
87,87,887	Zoheleth	622, 995.
87, 887, 7777	St. Paul	44, 600, 1025, 1090.
886	BRIDEHEAD	316, 492, 591.
	TRYPHOSA	286, 368.
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886 D	JORDAN	128, 147, 408, 418, 436, 683, 811.
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		959, *1083.
	MAGDALENE COLLEGE	84, 113, 133, 136, 201, 259, 289, 535, 604.
887,887	Merom	252, 742.
888 (Iambic)	CHALDEA	251, 261.
•	TRYPHENA	725.
888 (Trochaic)	DIES IRÆ	994.
888, 4	CARPUS	572.
	Jezreel	102, 962 (Part I.).
888, 6	Bethabara	110.
888,7	PHILEMON	197, *892, *893, *907, 1005.
8888	ARISTARCHUS	724, 906, 1017.
88, 88, 47	BADEN II., or NUREMBERG .	599.
88, 88, 68, 88, 68	FORTUNATUS	116 in "S. G. G. for the Young."
88, 88, 88	ANGELS' SONG	759.
	EATON	181, 343, 538, 690, 718, 720, 775, 864.
00 00 00	HALLE	377.
or 98, 98, 88 .	Manre	31, 104, 494, *960, 987. 58, 273, 280, 291, 385, 394, 684, 729.
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	7	616, 1044. 429, 617, 792.
888. D	EXETER	432.
00 00 00	"JESUS OF NAZARETH".	1039.
88, 88, 89	GERSHOM	531.
00,110	GERSHOM	301.
97, 87, 87, 87	"IT IS BETTER FARTHER ON"	1056.
98,98	APPHIA	87 in "S. G. G. for the Young."
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9998,8888	AQUILA	642, *1094.
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10 10, 7	ST. DUNSTAN	1022.
10 10, 10 10	CONWAY	345.
	Deptford	196, 446.
	EUNICE	697. 54 in "S. G. G. for the Young."
	PYRMONT.	696.
	"YET THERE IS ROOM!".	1042.
101010,1010	OLD 124TH	914.
10 10, 11 11	HANOVER, or CROFT'S 104th .	73, 510, 583.
or 11 11, 11 11	PARAN	50, 59, 173, 299, 411, 423, 581, 698, 992,
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	RIPON	628.
10 11, 11 11, 12 11	Sosthenes	424, 498, 621.
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	"I HAVE ENTERED THE VAL-	1064.
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or 11 10, 11 10, 10 10	EIRENE	29, 292, 648, 649, 708, 971, 1084.
11 11 11, 5	LILLINGSTON	847.
11 11, 10 10; or 11 11, 11 11	PEOR	308, 318, *976. 97 in "S. G. G. for the Young."
11 11, 11 11.	"Bright Jewels"	*653, 846, *1045, 1058, 1067, 1077.
11 11 11 11 5	Managere	525.
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	SMYRNA .					263, 465, 553, 578, 582, 889, 1082.
	WORCESTER					66.
For other Measures of four	Pergamos					70, 90, 597.
lines		•	٠	٠	٠	466, 540, 573, 657, 673, 822, 823, 908, 962 (Part II.), 1063.
	TROYTE .				١.	262, 279, 891.
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For other Measures of five	PHILADELPHI.	A.	•			33, 246, 477, 716, 735, 765, 1079.
For other Measures of six lines	LAODICEA					141, 365, 563, 659, 692, 894, 897.

For Hymn 439 . . . CELESTIAL.

" 567 . . . ST. ETHELBURGA
" 1022 . . . ST. BOTOLPH.

CHRISTMAS CAROLS . . . 923, 943, 944, 945.

EXPLANATIONS.

Numerals in Brackets indicate the subdivisions of each subject.

Numerals, thus [H. P. 191], on the right hand of the Tunes, indicate the number of the Tune in the Companion Volume, "HAVERGAL'S PSALMODY."

Small numerals over first line of Hymn indicate the Metre.

(a.) signifies some necessary alteration, either by Usage, Euphony, or Grammar.

(tr.) signifies Translator.

SYNOPSIS OF MEASURES.

L.M. Long Measure		8888.				
L.M. D. Long Measure doubled.		8888: 8888.				
C.M. Common Measure		8 6 8 6.				
C.M. D. Common Measure doubled		8686:8686.				
S.M. Short Measure		6686.				
S.M. D. Short Measure doubled.		6686:6686.				
Old 25th Psalm. S.M. D		6686:6686.				
Old 81st Psalm. C.M. D		8686:8686.				
Old 100th Psalm. L.M		8888.				
Old 124th Psalm		10 10 10, 10 10.				
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PART I .- The Yoly and Eber-blessed Trinity in Unity.

CULBACH.

THEME I.—Worship.

[H. P. 181.]

(1) ADORATION.

- Isa. vi. 1. "I saw . the Lord sitting upon a throne."
 - 1 BRIGHT the vision that delighted Once the sight of Judah's seer; Sweet the countless tongues united To entrance the prophet's ear.
 - 2 Round the Lord in glory seated, Cherubim and seraphim Filled His temple, and repeated Each to each the alternate hymn:
 - 3 "Lord, Thy glory fills the heaven, Earth is with its fulness stored; Unto Thee be glory given, Holy, Holy, Holy Lord!"

Tune Culbach. 87, 87.

- 4 Heaven is still with glory ringing, Earth takes up the angels' cry, "Holy, Holy, Holy,"—singing, "Lord of hosts, the Lord most high!"
- 5 With His scraph train before Him, With His Holy Church below, Thus conspire we to adore Him, Bid we thus our anthem flow.
- 6 Thus, Thy glorious name confessing, We adopt Thy angels' cry, "Holy, Holy, Holy,"—blessing Thee, "the Lord of hosts most high!" Bishop Mant, 1837,



Tune Nassau. 77,77,77.
Isa. vi. 3. "Holy, Holy, Holy."

- 1 HOLY, Holy, Holy Lord,
 God of hosts, Eternal King,
 By the heavens and earth adored;
 Angels and archangels sing,
 Chanting everlastingly
 To the Blessed Trinity.
- 2 Since by Thee were all things made, And in Thee do all things live, Be to Thee all honour paid, Praise to Thee let all things give, Singing everlastingly To the Blessèd Trinity.
- 3 Thousands, tens of thousands, stand, Spirits blest, before Thy throne, Speeding thence at Thy command; And, when Thy behests are done, Singing everlastingly To the Blessèd Trinity.
- 4 Cherubim and seraphim
 Veil their faces with their wings;
 Eyes of angels are too dim
 To behold the King of kings,
 While they sing eternally
 To the Blessed Trinity.

- PART II.
- 5 Thee, apostles, prophets, Thee, Thee, the noble martyr band Praise with solemn jubilee; Thee, the church in every land, Singing everlastingly To the Blessed Trinity.
- 6 In Thy name baptized are we,
 With Thy blessing are dismissed;
 And Thrice-holy chant to Thee
 In the holy eucharist;
 Life is one Doxology
 To the Blessed Trinity.

- 7 To the Father, and the Son,
 Who for us did deign to die,
 And to God the Holy One,
 Who the church doth sanctify;
 Sing we with glad jubilee,
 Hallelujah! Lord, to Thee.
- 8 Hallelujah! Lord, to Thee— Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, Godhead One, and Persons Three, Join us with the heavenly host, Singing everlastingly To the Blessed Trinity.

Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1862.



Rev. iv. 8. "They rest not . . . saying, Holy, Holy, Holy,"

1 HOLY, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!

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1 HOLY, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty! Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee; Holy, Holy, Holy! merciful and mighty! God in Three Persons, Blessèd Trinity!

2 Holy, Holy, Holy! all the saints adore Thee, Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea,

Cherubim and scraphim falling down before Thee, Which wert and art, and evermore shalt be. Tune TRISAGION. 11 12, 12 10.

3 Holy, Holy, Holy! though the darkness hide Thee, Though the eye of sinful man Thy glory may not see,

Only Thou art holy, there is none beside Thee, Perfect in power, in love, and purity.

4 Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!
All Thy works shall praise Thy name, in earth,
and sky, and sea;

and sky, and sea;
Holy, Holy, Holy! Merciful and Mighty!
God in Three Persons, Blessed Trinity!

Bishop Heber, 1827.



- 4 Col. ii. 2. "The mystery of God, and of the Father, and of Christ."
- 1 M IGHTY Father! Blessed Son! Holy Spirit! Three in One! Evermore Thy will be done!
- 2 Threefold is Thy glorious might, Threefold is Thy name of light, Holy! Awful! Infinite!
- 3 Threefold let our praises be, Great mysterious One, to Thee! Undivided Trinity!
- 4 Mystery of mysteries! Before whom with veiled eyes Songs of saints and angels rise.
- 5 Rainbow-like the emerald zone That encompasseth Thy throne, O Thou most mysterious One!
- 6 Thunderings and lightnings, rolled From beneath, Thy saints enfold, Clothed in white, and crowned with gold.

Tune HAVERGAL. 777.

- 7 Holy, Holy, Holy Lord! God Almighty! Father! Word! Spirit! Three in One adored!
- 8 Threefold is Thy love to me, Threefold let my graces be, Faith, and Hope, and Charity.
- 9 Mighty Father! Blessèd Son! Holy Spirit! Three in One! Evermore Thy will be done. J. S. B. Monsell, LL.D., 1863.

Note the Symbolic Form-Three lines harmonizing in each verse; -three verses in each division; -three divisions making one hymn.

John Ryland, D.D., 1796.





Eph. ii. 18. "We . . . have access."

1 GRACIOUS God of our salvation, Thee, in Christ, we would adore; Standing in the high relation Of Thy sons for evermore: We, by sin, were separated
From our Father's face awhile;
But we now are new-created,

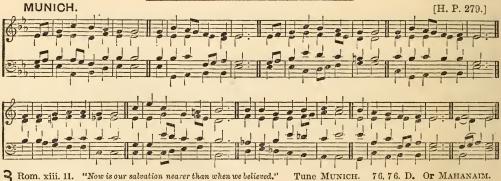
By His sweet, returning smile.

2 Now the Spirit keeps us moving To our Father's holy throne; Through the Saviour sweetly proving How for sin He did atone! Now, instead of threatening thunder, And of life an endless loss, We enjoy the peaceful wonder Of our dear Redeemer's cross.

Tune EVERTON. 87, 87. D. Or SALZBURG. 3 To the Father, by the Spirit,
Now a sweet access we find,
Through the Saviour's matchless merit. He is most divinely kind: Now in praises to the Saviour

Let our sacred song ascend; And, the best of all behaviour, Honour our Almighty Friend. 4 Now to Him who has redeemed us

With His precious sacrifice, And the Holy Ghost who seals us. For the grace and blood that raises
Us to God, through Christ His Son. Thomas Row, 1817.



1 YON shining shore is nearer! The saints in robes of light, The saints in robes of light, With harps and golden vials, Are almost within sight! Hark! at the mighty anthem. That rolls across the sea, "We give Thee praise and glory. Eternal Trinity!"

2 "A little while" they ve left us.
To tread the desert sand: But Jesus is beside us, We march at His command; And soon our dusty raiment We'll lay, for aye, aside,
And, with our Saviour's likeness,
We shall be glorified! 3 Amidst our tears and conflicts, Amidst our tears and connicts,
We almost can discern
The radiant Throne before us,—
"The lamps" that ever burn,—
The Father's dazzling glory,—
The Lamb whose blood was shed,—
The living, kingly Jesus,

Whose for the word dod! Who once for us was dead!

4 We come to-day to worship,
We bring our gifts to Thee,
Our hearts, our gold, our praises,
Thou blessed Trinity!
Alas! too long, our idols
Have hid Thee from our sight; Help us to cast them from us,

And henceforth "walk in light!" William Pennefather, 1871.

OLD "TEN COMMANDMENTS' TUNE."

[H. P. 15.]



9 Tune Old Ten Commandments. L.M. Or Göldel.
1 John v. 7. "There are Three that bear record."

ALL hail, Adorèd Trinity!
All hail, Eternal Unity!
O God the Father, God the Son,
And God the Spirit, ever One.

2 Behold, to Thee, this festal day We meekly pour our thankful lay; Oh let our work accepted be, That sweetest work of praising Thee.

3 Three Persons praise we evermore, One only God our hearts adore; In Thy sure mercy, ever kind, Oh may we our protection find.

4 O Trinity! O Unity!
Be present as we worship Thee;
With songs that angels sing to Thee,
Unite our hymns of jubilee.

J. D. Chambers (tr.), 1857.

Tune OLD TEN COMMANDMENTS. L. M. 2 Cor. xiii. 14. "Grace . . . Love . . . Communion."

1 O TRIUNE GOD! O King of Kings! All-glorious ONE, mysterious THREE! Archangels bow with veiling wings, Adoring where they cannot see.

2 Yet we the Trinity can praise In Unity, through Christ our King; Our grateful hearts and voices raise In faith and love, while thus we sing:—

3 Glory to God the Father be, Because He sent His Son to die; Glory to God the Son, that He Did with such willingness comply;

4 Glory to God the Holy Ghost,
Who to our hearts this love reveals:
Thus God, Triune, to sinners lost,
Salvation sends, procures, and seals.

Joseph Hart, 1759.—ver. 1, F. R. H.

GOZAN (River of).

[H. P. 165.]

Tune Gozan. 77, 87. Or Zoan II. Rev. i. 5. "Unto Him that loved us."

1 ETERNAL Hallelujahs
Be to the Father given,
Who loved His own—ere time began,
And marked them out for heaven.

2 Anthems of equal glory
Ascribe we to the SAVIOUR;
Who lived and died—that we, His Bride,
Might live with Him for ever.

3 Hail! co-eternal SPIRIT,
Thy church's new Creator!
The saints He seals—their fear dispels,
And sanctifies their nature.

4 We laud the glorious TRIAD, The mystic One in essence; Till called to join—the hosts that shine In His immediate Presence.

5 Faithful is He that promised, And stands engaged to save us; The Triune Lord—has passed His word That He will never leave us.

6 A kingdom He assigned us, Before the world's foundation: Thou God of grace—be Thine the praise, And ours the consolation!

Augustus M. Toplady, 1774.

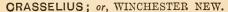
Tune Gozan. 77, 87. D. Eph. i. 4. "He hath chosen us in Him."

1 THOU God of grace, our Father,
We now rejoice before Thee,
Thy children we—and loved by Thee;
Tis meet we should adore Thee!
As Thine Thou didst foreknow us,
For such was Thine election,
And Thou hast shown—to us Thine own—
Thy fulness of affection.

2 In Jesus Thou didst choose us
Before the world's foundation,
Ere Adam's fall—involved us all
In guilt and condemnation.
Thy purpose and election,
In spite of all our failing,
Have firmly stood—and by the blood
Of Christ are made availing.

3 The grace of this salvation
The Holy Ghost hath taught us;
By Him we're healed—for He revealed
How Jesu's blood hath bought us.
Soon all the church in glory,
In its predestined station,
Shall bless Thy name—with Christ the Lamb,
Thou God of all salvation!

S. P. Tregelles, LL.D., 1837.



[H. P. 3.]



13 Ps. cl. 2. "His excellent greatness."

- 1 PARENT of all, whose love displayed Still rules the world Thy bounty made, Fain would we raise the hymn to Thee, In Substance One, in Person Three.
- 2 Fain would we chant to Thee the song, Which through the ages all along Is chanted by Thy heavenly train, And earth resounds to heaven again.

Tune Crasselius. L. M.

- 3 Taught by Thy word, this festal day, Our homage of true faith we pay; Oh, in that faith preserve us still, And shield us evermore from ill:
- 4 That still our lips Thy praise may show, And with Thy Holy Church below, Above with Thy angelic host, Sing Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Bishop Mant (tr.), 1837.

ZAANAIM (Plain of). TH. P. 191.7



4 Eph. i. 3. "All spiritual blessings . . . in Christ."

O MY Lord, how great the wonders
Thy rich grace has wrought for me!
On Thy love my spirit ponders,
Praising, magnifying Thee;
Hallelujah!

To the great ETERNAL THREE! 2 I was once far off—a stranger— Guilty, helpless, deaf, and blind; Jesus rescued me from danger, And renewed my heart and mind: Precious Saviour!

How compassionate and kind!

Tune ZAANAIM. 87, 87, 47,

3 Quickened by His Holy Spirit, Covered with His righteousness, He has said I shall inherit Everlasting life and bliss: Blessèd Jesus! How my soul exults in this!

4 He has all my sins forgiven, Paid my debt and set me free, Vanquished hell, and opened heaven, And prepared a place for me: My Redeemer Loved me from eternity.

5 Yea, He says He'll never leave me, But, when all His will is done,
To His kingdom He'll receive me,
As the partner of His throne;
Then I'll praise Him,
While eternity rolls on!

Joseph Irons, 1825.



15

2 Cor. i. 3. "Blessed be God."

- 1 THOU dear and great mysterious Three, For ever be adored, For all the endless grace we see In our Redeemer stored.
- 2 The Father's ancient grace we sing, That chose us in our Head; Ordaining Christ, our God and King, To suffer in our stead.

Tune GLOUCESTER. C. M.

- 3 The sacred Son, in equal strains, With reverence we address, For all His grace, and dying pains, And splendid righteousness.
- 4 With tuneful tongue the Holy Ghost For His great work we praise, Whose power inspires the blood-bought host, Their grateful voice to raise.

5 Thus, the eternal Three in One We join to praise, for grace And endless glory through the Son, As shining from His face.

Thomas Row, 1817.

FREYLINGHAUSEN.

[H. P. 306.]





16 2 Cor. iv. 6. "The glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ."

GOD in Three appears all glorious,
In the everlasting One;
Shines the fulness of the Godhead,
In the person of the Son;
Reigns in Thee the great Jehovah,
Reigns in all-victorious grace,
Shows His all-transporting beauties,
Through the bleeding Prince of Peace.

2 Sing we all the Lord of Glory, Sing the mercy pure and free, Mercy flowing from the fountain Of the everlasting Three; Tune Freylinghausen. 87, 87. D. Or Shen.

Equal all, and all united, In the One eternal God, Shining all with equal splendour, Through the rich atoning blood.

3 May we all, with admiration,
Roll the cheering truth along,
Three in One be all the chorus,
Three in One be all the song.
Come, Thou Triune God and Saviour,
Now descend in purest love,
Sing we then with holy ardour,
Sing our way to realms above.

Richard Burnham, 1796.



[H. P. 203.]



- 17 1 John iii. 1. "Behold what manner of love!"
 - 1 SEE, oh see! what love the Father
 Hath bestowed upon our race,
 How He bends, with sweet compassion,
 Over us His beaming face!
 See how He His best and dearest
 For the very worst hath given,
 His own Son for us poor sinners;
 See, oh see! the love of Heaven!
 - 2 See, oh see! what love the Saviour Also hath on us bestowed, How He bled for us and suffered, How He bare the heavy load!

Tune Salzburg. 87, 87. D.

On the cross, and in the garden, Oh! how sore was His distress! Is not this a love that passeth Aught that tongue can e'er express?

3 See, oh see! what love is shown us
Also by the Holy Ghost!
How He strives with us poor sinners,
Even when we sin the most!
Teaching, comforting, correcting,
Where He sees it needful is!
Oh, what heart would not be thankful
For a three-fold love like this?
C. J. P. Spitta, 1833; R. Massie (tr.), 1860.

THE OLD 100th TUNE.

[H. P. 1.]



- 18 2 Cor. ix. 14. "The exceeding grace of God."
 - 1 HOW can a mortal tongue express, Almighty Lord, Thine endless praise; Or, how can we Thy throne address, And be accepted in our lays?
 - 2 Through Jesus, our Redeemer, we Our cheerful, humble praises bring, For all the endless grace we see In Him, our Saviour and our King.
 - 3 For grace that saves our souls from hell, Accept, dear Lord, our grateful song; And let us join, Thy grace to tell, Until we reach the heavenly throng.

Tune OLD HUNDREDTH. L. M.

- 4 For grace that ends in glory bright, We bless Thee, Triune God of love, For now, by faith, we see the light Of that celestial world above.
- 5 For grace, that formed the wondrous plan Of our deliverance from the dead, And chose us in the Glory-Man, We give Thee praise through Him who bled.
- 6 For grace, with endless glory joined,
 We bless the Father and the Son;
 And praise the Spirit, who we find
 Reveals our glorious Three in One.
 Thomas Row, 1817.



(2) INVOCATION.

Tune RATISBON. 77, 77, 77. Mark xiv. 36. "He said, ABBA, FATHER." 1 "ABBA!" gentle Jesus prayed, Kneeling in the garden shade; "Father!" Christ the anointed King Cried out in His suffering; "Abba. Father!" sighed the Son, "Not My will, but Thine be done."

2 "Jesus!" Jewish voices cry,
"Save from sin and misery!"
"Christ!" by Gentile hearts adored, "Save us, our anointed Lord!
"Abba, Father!" it is done,
All in Jesus Christ are one.

3 "Abba!" to Thy bosom take Sin-cleansed souls, for "Jesu's" sake; "Father!" in our utmost need We the "Christ" within us plead; "Abba, Father!" day by day We through "Jesus Christ" do pray.

4 "Jesus"—for the Jewish tribes, On the top-stone Love inscribes, "Christ"—for all the Gentile race, Graving on its other face:
"Jesus Christ!"—the Corner-stone!
Making all the building one! J. S. B. Monsell, LL.D., 1866.

20 Tune SALZBURG. 87. 87. D. (Repeat last half for Chorus.)

Rom. viii. 15. "We cry, Abba, Father."

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1 ABBA, Father! Lord, we call Thee,
Hallowed name! from day to day;
"Tis Thy children's right to know Thee,
None but children Abba say.
This high privilege we inherit,
First Thy gift, and then Christ's blood;
God the Spirit, to our spirit,
Witnesseth we are sons of God.
Chorus.—Abba, Father! still we call Thee,
Abba sounds through all our host;
All in heaven and earth adore Thee,
FATHER, SON, and HOLY GHOST.

2 Abba's love first gave us being, When, in Christ, in that vast plan, When, in Christ, in that Yast plan,
Abba chose the church in Jesus,
Long before the world began!
Oh! what love the Father bore us!
Oh! how precious in His sight!
When He gave His church to Jesus;
Jesus! His whole soul's delight!
J. Chorus.—Abba, Father! etc.

PART II.]

3 Though our nature's fall in Adam Though our nature's fall in Adam Seemed to shut us out from God, Thus it was His counsel brought us Nearer still through Jesu's blood: By the plan Himself had formed, Ere like sheep we went astray; They, said God, shall call Me Father, Nor from Me shall turn away.

Charus—Abba Fath Chorus .- Abba, Father! etc.

4 And the richest stores of pardon
God sets forth in Christ His Son;
With the Spirit's grace to guide us,
Safe to bring His children home.
Abba, Father! makes all certain,
Both by word, by oath, and blood;
Abba saith, "They are My people."
And they say, "The Lord's my God."
Chorus.—Abba, Father! etc.

5 Hence through all our changing seasons, Hence through all our changing seasons, Trouble, sorrow, sickness, woe; Nothing changeth God's affection, Abba's love will bring us through. Soon shall all Thy blood-bought children Round Thy throne their anthems raise; And in songs of rich salvation Shout to Abba endless praise! Chorus .- Abba, Father! etc. Robert Hawker, D.D., 1827.

Tune SALZBURG. 87.87. D. 21 Gal. iv. 6. "Because ye are sons."

> 1 ABBA, Father! we approach Thee In our Saviour's precious name; In our saviour's precious name;
> We, Thy children, here assembling,
> Now Thy promised blessings claim:
> From our sins His blood has washed us,
> 'Tis through Him our souls draw nigh;
> And Thy Spirit too hath taught us,
> Abba, Father! thus to cry.

2 Once as prodigals we wandered, In our folly far from Thee; But Thy grace, o'er sin abounding, Rescued us from misery. Clothed in garments of salvation, At Thy table in our place, We rejoice, and Thou rejoicest In the riches of Thy grace.

3 Abba, Father! all adore Thee, All rejoice in heaven above: While in us they learn the wonders Of Thy wisdom, grace, and love. Soon before Thy throne assembled, All Thy children shall proclaim Glory, everlasting glory, Be to God and to the Lamb! James George Deck, 1839. PATMOS.



- 22 Isa. liv. 13. "All thy children shall be taught of the Lord."
 - 1 HOLY Father! let Thy love
 Rest upon us from above;
 All Thy children deign to own,
 Teach them to approach Thy throne.
 - 2 Precious Saviour! Zion's King, Of Thy glorious work we sing; Reign amidst Thy chosen race, Spread the triumphs of Thy grace.

Tune Patmos. 77, 77.

Or GIBBONS.

[H. P. 147.]

- 3 Kind Preceptor! we expect Promised grace for God's elect; Make the Saviour's fulness known; Sanctify and teach Thine own.
- 4 Triune God! Thy covenant love Faithful to the end shall prove; All things rest on Thy decree, Glory to the' Eternal Three!

Joseph Irons, 1825.

SUCCOTH (Valley of).

[H. P. 189.]

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- 23 John xvii. 23. "Thou hast loved them, as Thou hast loved Me." Tune Succoth. 87, 87, 77.
 - 1 HOLY Father! we address Thee—Loved in Thy beloved Son; Holy Son of God, we bless Thee, Boundless grace hath made us one; Holy Spirit, aid our songs, This glad work to Thee belongs.
 - 2 Wondrous was Thy love, O Father! Wondrous Thine, O Son of God! Vast the love that bruised and wounded, Vast the love that bore the rod; Holy Spirit, still reveal How those stripes alone can heal.
- 3 Gracious Father! Thy good pleasure
 Is to love us as Thy Son,
 Meting out the self-same measure,
 Since Thou seest us as one.
 Blessèd Jesus! loved are we,
 As the Father loveth Thee.
- 4 Hallelujah! we are hasting
 To our Father's house above;
 By the way our souls are tasting
 Rich and everlasting love;
 In Jehovah is our boast,
 Father, Son, and Holy Ghost!

Mary Bowly, 1847.

SWABIA.

[H. P. 82.]



- 24 Ps. xxxiv. 3. "O magnify the Lord with me."
 - 1 WE sing the Father's love— We trust the Saviour's grace— The Holy Spirit's power we prove, Amidst the chosen race.
 - 2 We give the Father praise— We glorify the Son— We bless the Spirit for His grace, Which makes salvation known.

Tune SWABIA. S. M.

- 3 'Twas God the Father chose Our souls in God the Son; And God the Holy Ghost bestows All blessings from the throne.
- 4 A Triune God we own,
 In daily songs of praise;
 In Persons Three, in Essence One
 The God of sovereign grace!

 Joseph Irons, 1925.

CRASSELIUS; or, WINCHESTER NEW.

[H. P. 3.]



25

Tune Crasselius. L. M. Ps. ev. 3. "Glory ye in His holy name."

- 1 FATHER! we glory in Thy choice—
 Saviour! we in Thy work rejoice—
 O Holy Ghost! Thy power we sing;
 Thou, Triune God, art Zion's King.
- 2 Father! 'tis in Thy love we rest— Saviour! in Thee our souls are blest— O Holy Ghost! Thy power we own, Which made Jehovah's glory known.
- 3 The Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
 Adored by all the heavenly host,
 Is Zion's Triune God and King!
 Let all the church His glory sing!

 Joseph Irons, 1825.

26

Tune SWABIA. S. M. 2 Cor. iii. 18. "The glory of the Lord."

- 1 FATHER! in whom we live, In whom we are and move, The glory, praise, and power receive, Of Thy creating love.
- 2 Let all the angel throng Give thanks to God on high; While earth repeats the joyful song, And echoes through the sky.

- 3 Incarnate Deity!
 Let all the ransomed race
 Render in thanks their lives to Thee
 For Thy redeeming grace.
- 4 The grace to sinners showed, Ye heavenly choirs, proclaim; And cry "Salvation to our God! Salvation to the Lamb!"
- 5 Spirit of Holiness! Let all Thy saints adore Thy sacred energy, and bless Thy heart-renewing power.
- 6 Not angel tongues can tell
 Thy love's ecstatic height,
 The glorious joy unspeakable,
 The beatific sight!
- 7 Eternal Triune Lord! Let all the hosts above, Let all the sons of men, record And dwell upon Thy love.
- 8 When heaven and earth are fled
 Before Thy glorious face,
 Sing all the saints Thy love hath made
 Thine everlasting praise!
 Charles Wesley, 1747.



"Thou shalt guide me with Thy counsel." 7 Ps. lxxiii. 24.

LEAD us, heavenly Father, lead us O'er the world's tempestuous sea; Guide us, guard us, keep us, feed us, For we have no help but Thee:
Yet possessing—every blessing,
If our God our Father be.

2 Saviour, breathe forgiveness o'er us; All our weakness Thou dost know; Thou didst tread this earth before us, Thou didst feel its keenest woe:

Tune Lusatia. 87.87.87.

> Lone and dreary-faint and weary, Through the desert Thou didst go.

3 Spirit of our God, descending, Fill our hearts with heavenly joy; Love, with every passion blending, Pleasure that can never cloy; Thus provided—pardoned, guided, Nothing can our peace destroy!

James Edmeston, 1820.



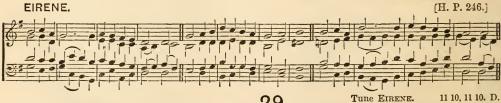
28 1 John v. 7. "The Father, the Word, and the Holy Ghost."

1 FATHER of heaven! whose love profound A ransom for our souls hath found. Before Thy throne we sinners bend; To us Thy pardoning love extend.

2 Almighty Son! Incarnate Word! Our Prophet, Priest, Redeemer, Lord, Before Thy throne we sinners bend; To us Thy saving grace extend.

3 Eternal Spirit! by whose breath
The soul is raised from sin and death,
Before Thy throne we sinners bend; To us Thy quickening power extend.

4 Jehovah! Father, Spirit, Son! Mysterious Godhead! Three in One! Before Thy throne we sinners bend; Grace, pardon, life to us extend! J. Cooper, 1812.



2 Thess. iii. 5. "The Lord direct your hearts," etc.

1 FATHER! whose hand hath led me so securely,
Father, whose ear hath listened to my prayer,
Father, whose eye hath watched o'er me so surely,
Whose heart hath loved me with a love so rare;
Vouchsafe, O heavenly Father, to instruct me
In the straight way wherein I ought to go,
To life eternal and to heaven conduct me,
Through health and sickness, and through weal

Through health and sickness, and through weal and woe.

2 O my Redeemer! who hast my redemption Purchased, and paid for, by Thy precious blood; Thereby procuring an entire exemption From the dread wrath and punishment of God: Thou who hast saved my soul from condemnation, Redeem it also from the power of sin, Be Thou the Captain still of my salvation,

Through whom alone I can the victory win.

3 O Holy Ghost! who from the Father flowest-And from the Son, oh teach me how to pray! And from the Son, on teach me now to pray!
Thou, who the love and peace of God bestowest,
With faith and hope inspire and cheer my way;
Direct, control, and sanctify each motion
Within my soul, and make it thus to be
Prayerful, and still, and full of deep devotion,
A holy temple, worthy, Lord, of Thee! C. J. P. Spitta, 1833; R. Massie (tr.), 1860.

- 30 Tune Moscow. 664, 6664. Ps. xlv. 1. "My heart is inditing a good matter.'
- 1 COME, Thou almighty King! Help us Thy name to sing, Help us to praise! Father, all-glorious, O'er all victorious! Come, and reign over us, Ancient of days!
- 2 Come, Thou incarnate Word! Gird on Thy mighty sword, Our prayer attend!
 Come and Thy people bless,
 And give Thy word success;
 Spirit of holiness, On us descend!

3 Come, Holy Comforter! Thy sacred witness bear, In this glad hour: Thou who almighty art, Now rule in every heart, And ne'er from us depart, Spirit of power!



To the great One in Three Eternal praises be Hence evermore! His sovereign majesty May we in glory see, And to eternity Love and adore!

C. Wesley's Leaflets, 1757.



Ps. xvi. 2. "Thou art my Lord."

1 LORD God of gods, before whose throne Stand storms and fire, oh what shall we Return to Heaven that is our own, When all the world belongs to Thee! We have no offering to impart. But praises and a wounded heart.

2 O Thou that sitt'st in heaven, and seest My deeds without, my thoughts within, Be Thou my Prince, be Thou my Priest, Command my soul and cure my sin; How bitter my afflictions be, I care not, so I rise to Thee. Tune MAMRE. 88, 88, 88.

> 3 Fountain of light and living breath, Whose mercies never fail nor fade, Fill me with life that hath no death, Fill me with light that hath no shade; Appoint the remnant of my days
> To see Thy power and sing Thy praise.

> 4 What I possess or what I crave, Brings no content, great God, to me, If what I would, or what I have Be not possessed and blessed in Thee; What I enjoy, oh make it mine, In making me, that have it, Thine.

John Quarles (restored), 1654.



(3) DEDICATION.

Tune NASSAU. Rom. xiv. 8. "Whether we live . . . or die, we are the Lord's." 77, 77, 77.

1 FATHER, Son, and Holy Ghost,
One in Three and Three in One,
As by the celestial host,
Let Thy will on earth be done;
Praise by all to Thee be given,
Glorious Lord of earth and heaven!

2 If so poor a worm as I
May to Thy great glory live,
All my actions sanctify, All I have and all I am.

3 Take my soul and body's powers,
Take my memory, mind, and will;
All my goods, and all my hours,
All I know and all I feel;
All I think, or speak, or do;
Take my heart;—but make it new!

4 Now, O God, Thine own I am;
Now I give Thee back Thine own;
Freedom, friends, and health, and fame,
Consecrate to Thee alone:
Thine I live, thrice happy I!
Happier still when Thine I die!

Charles Wesley, 1745.

PHILADELPHIA. (HYMN CHANT.) [H. P. VII.]

Ps. cxvi. 16. "O Lord, truly I am Thy servant."

1 O LORD, Thy heavenly grace impart. And fix my frail, inconstant heart; Henceforth my chief desire shall be To dedicate myself to Thee: To Thee, my God, to Thee!

2 Whate'er pursuits my time employ. One thought shall fill my heart with joy; That silent, secret thought shall be, That all my hopes are fixed on Thee; On Thee, my God, on Thee!

Tune, Hymn Chant PHILADELPHIA. 88, 886,

3 Thy glorious eye pervadeth space; Thou'rt present, Lord, in every place; And wheresoe'er my lot may be, Still shall my spirit cleave to Thee; To Thee, my God, to Thee!

4 Renouncing every worldly thing, Safe 'neath the covert of Thy wing, My sweetest thought henceforth shall be, That all I want I find in Thee; In Thee, my God, in Thee!

J. F. Oberlin, 1820; Caroline Wilson (tr.), 1829.



Ps. exix. 94. "I am Thine, save me!"

O GOD, Thy mercy, vast and free. Has turned my happy soul to Thee: Still round me let that mercy shine, And save me, Lord, for I am Thine!

2 Thy truth display; Thy power reveal; Oh let me now Thy presence feel: Give me the joys of love Divine; Oh save me, Lord, for I am Thine.

Tune HEBRON. L. M. Or GILBOA.

3 From self, from Satan, and from sin, From foes without, and fears within, Though they against me all combine, Oh save me, Lord, for I am Thine!

4 And when in glory I appear, And sing with the redeemed there, Then shall this work of joy be mine, To praise that love which made me Thine! Samuel Medley, 1800. (a.)

SARDIS. (HYMN CHANT.)

[H. P. VI.]



- 35 Heb. xiii. 5. "He hath said, I will never leave thee."
 - 1 BY Thee, Jesu, will I stay,
 Evermore Thy servant stand;
 From Thee, my feet shall never stray,
 But I will go where points Thy hand.
 - 2 Thou! life of all the life that's mine, My soul's core-sap and vital power, As to its branch from out the vine Flows sap of life from hour to hour.
 - 3 Stay near me through this heat and glow; Stay near, too, when my day sinks down, And long the evening shadows grow, And the dark night comes stealing on.

Tune, Hymn Chant SARDIS.

- 4 Lay in blessing, then, Thy hand On my weary, weakly head; Saying, "Rest, child! to the land Thy faith hath sought thou shalt be led."
- 5 Stay near me; in Thine arms enfold, When most the chill of death I dread; Chill, like the sharp and bitter cold, Ere dawns in heaven the morning red.
- 6 When darkness shall mine eyes o'ertake, Light Thou my spirit through the gloom, That unto me the morn may break As breaks to him the exile's home. C. J. P. Spitta; John B. Walter (tr.), 1863.

KEDRON (Brook).

[H. P. 213.]





- 36 Acts ix. 6. "Lord, what wilt Thou have me to do?"
 - 1 LORD, Thou hast won, at length I yield; My heart, by mighty grace compelled, Surrenders all to Thee; Against Thy terrors long I strove; But who can stand against Thy love? Love conquers even me!
 - 2 If Thou hadst bid Thy thunders roll,
 And lightnings flash, to blast my soul,
 I still had stubborn been:
 But mercy has my heart subdued;
 A bleeding Saviour I have viewed,
 And now I hate my sin.

Tune KEDRON. 886, 886.

- 3 Now, Lord, I would be Thine alone; Come, take possession of Thine own, For Thou hast set me free; Released from Satan's hard command, See all my powers waiting stand To be employed by Thee.
- 4 My will conformed to Thine would move;
 On Thee, my hope, desire, and love,
 In fixed attention join;
 My hands, my eyes, my ears, my tongue,
 Have Satan's servants been too long,
 But now they shall be Thine!

John Newton, 17.79.



Acts viii. 55.

HAPPY day! when first we felt
Our souls with deep contrition Our souls with deep contrition melt, And saw our sins, of crimson guilt, All cleansed by blood on Calvary spilt.

2 O happy day! when first Thy love Began our grateful hearts to move; And gazing on Thy wondrous cross, We saw all else as worthless dross.

3 O happy day! when we no more Shall grieve Thee whom our souls adore; When sorrows, conflicts, fears, shall cease, And all our trials end in peace.

4 O happy day! when we shall see And fix our longing eyes on Thee-On Thee, our Light, our Life, our Love,

Our all below, our heaven above.

5 O happy day of cloudless light, Eternal day without a night! Lord, when shall we its dawning see, And spend it all in praising Thee?

6 Come, Saviour, come, oh quickly come! Take us, Thy waiting people, home: We long to stand around Thy throne, And know Thee as ourselves are known. James George Deck, 1337. KEDAR.

[H. P. 42.]



40 Ps. exix. 57. "Thou art my portion, O Lord,"

- 1 FROM pole to pole let others roam, And search in vain for bliss; My soul is satisfied at home, The Lord my portion is.
- 2 Jesus—who on His glorious throne Rules heaven, and earth, and sea— Is pleased to claim me for His own, And gives Himself to me.

Tune KEDAR. C. M.

- 3 His person fixes all my love, His blood removes my fear; And while He pleads for me atove, His arm preserves me here.
- 4 His word of promise is my food, His Spirit is my guide; Thus daily is my strength renewed, And all my wants supplied.

5 For Him I count as gain each loss, Disgrace for Him, renown; Well may I glory in His cross, While He prepares my crown!

John Newton, 1779.

See Hymns 949-957, 1063-1075.

THEME II .- The Attributes of the Cher-Blessed Trinity.

LEIPSIC.

[H. P. 19.]



THE BEING OF GOD.

41 Ps. xiv. 1. "The fool hath said in his heart, There is no God."

Tune Leipsic. L. M.

- 1 "THERE is a God"—all nature cries, All knowledge proves "there is a God": "There is no God," the fool replies, Whose heart is duller than the clod.
- 2 The grateful clod, refreshed with rains, Pours flowers along its Maker's path; But the fool's heart a fool's remains, Untouched by love—unmoved by wrath.
- 3 And yet the wretch himself deceives; While flends believe, and trembling fly, He trembles though he disbelieves; And conscience gives his life the lie.
- 4 Can guilt, can madness further go?
 Yes, his—who God in works denies;
 Whose creed saith "Yes," whose life says "No":
 Am I more holy, just, and wise?
- 5 My soul, sink down in shame and grief; So fair without, so foul within; Thy faith is specious unbelief, Thy righteousness self-righteous sin.
- 6 O God! Thou art, Thou surely art, And those who truly seek Thee find; Put Thou Thy laws into my heart, In mercy write them on my mind.

7 Light in Thy light I long to see, Thy glory in Thy goodness trace: Ah! then reveal Thy Son in me; Through faith may I be saved by grace!

James Montgomery, 1853.



THE INFINITY OF GOD.

Tune STERNBERG. 11 10, 11 10, Ps. cxxxix, 6, "Too wonderful for me,"

- 1 HOLY and Infinite! Viewless, Eternal! Veiled in the glory that none can sustain, None comprehendeth Thy being supernal, Nor can the heaven of heavens contain.
- 2 Holy and Infinite! limitless, boundless,
 All Thy perfections, and powers, and praise!
 Ocean of mystery! awful and soundless All Thine unsearchable judgments and ways!
- 3 King of Eternity! what revelation Could the created and finite sustain, But for Thy marvellous manifestation, Godhead incarnate in weakness and pain!
- 4 Therefore archangels and angels adore Thee, Cherubim wonder, and seraphs admire; Therefore we praise Thee, rejoicing before Thee, Joining in rapture the heavenly choir.
- 5 Glorious in holiness, fearful in praises, Who shall not fear Thee, and who shall not laud?

Anthems of glory Thy universe raises, Holy and Infinite! Father and God! Frances Ridley Havergal, 1872.

CYPRUS. [H. P. 26.]

43

THE SPIRITUALITY OF GOD. John iv. 24. "God is a Spirit,"

- 1 WHAT know we, Holy God, of Thee, Thy being and Thine essence pure? Too bright the very mystery For mortal vision to endure.
- 2 We only know Thy word sublime, Thou art a Spirit! Perfect! One! Unlimited by space or time,

Unknown but through the' eternal Son.

Tune CYPRUS.

3 By change untouched, by thought untraced, And by created eye unseen,
In Thy great present is embraced
All that shall be, all that hath been.

L. M.

4 O Father of our spirits, now We seek Thee in our Saviour's face; In truth and spirit we would bow, And worship where we cannot trace. Frances Ridley Haverga', 1872.

THE ETERNITY OF GOD.

Tune St. Paul. 87, 887, 77, 77. 1 Tim. i. 17. "The King, eternal, immortal, invisible."

1 KING, Eternal and Immortal! We, the children of an hour, Bend in lowly adoration, Rise in raptured admiration. ise in raptured admiration,
At the whisper of Thy power.
Myriad ages in Thy sight
Are but as the fleeting day;
Like a vision of the night,
Worlds may rise and pass away.

2 All Thy glories are eternal, None shall ever pass away; Truth and mercy all-victorious, Righteousness and love all-glorious, Shine with everlasting ray:





All-resplendent, ere the light Bade primeval darkness flee; All-transcendent, through the flight Of eternities to be.

3 Thou art God from everlasting,
And to everlasting art!
Ere the dawn of shadowy ages,
Dimly guesssed by angel sages,
Ere the beat of seraph-heart;
Thou, Jehovah, art the same,
And Thy years shall have no end;
Changeless nature, changeless name,
Ever Father, God. and Friend.

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1872.

THE OLD 100th TUNE.

[H. P. 1.]



45 Ps. xc. 2. "From everlasting to everlasting Thou art God."

Tune OLD HUNDREDTH. L. M.

1 LORD! Thou hast been Thy children's God, All-powerful, wise, and good, and just, In every age their safe abode.

Their hope, their refuge, and their trust.

2 Before Thy word gave nature birth. Or spread the starry heavens abroad, Or formed the varied face of earth, From everlasting Thou art God.

Anne Steele, 1760.

OLD "TEN COMMANDMENTS' TUNE."

[H. P. 15.]



THE UNITY OF GOD.

46 Deut. vi. 4. "The Lord our God is one Lord."

1 ETERNAL God! Almighty Cause Of earth, and seas, and worlds unknown; All things are subject to Thy laws, All things depend on Thee alone.

2 Thy glorious Being singly stands, Of all within itself possest, Controlled by none in Thy commands, And in Thyself completely blest. Tune OLD TEN COMMANDMENTS. L. M.

3 To Thee alone ourselves we owe; Let heaven and earth due homage pay; All other gods we disavow, Deny their claims, renounce their sway.

4 Lord! spread Thy name through heathen lands; Their idol deities dethrone: Reduce the world to Thy commands; And reign, as Thou art, God alone!

Simon Browne, 1720, (a.)



47

Ps. xlvi. 10. "Be still, and know that I am God."

Tune SHEN. 15 15, 15 15,

1 GOD Almighty! King of nations! earth Thy footstool, heaven Thy throne! Thine the greatness, power, and glory, Thine the kingdom, Lord, alone! Life and death are in Thy keeping, and Thy will ordaineth all:

From the armies of Thy heavens to an unseen

insect's fall.

2 Reigning, guiding, all-commanding, ruling myriad worlds of light; Now exalting, now abasing, none can stay Thy hand of might!

Working all things by Thy power, by the counsel of Thy will,
Thou art God! enough to know it, and to hear
Thy word: "Be still!"

3 In Thy sovereignty rejoicing, we Thy children bow and praise

For we know that kind and loving, just and true, are all Thy ways: While Thy heart of sovereign mercy, and Thine

arm of sovereign might, For our great and strong salvation in Thy sove-

reign grace unite.

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1872.

OLD "TEN COMMANDMENTS' TUNE."

[H. P. 15.]



GREAT FIRST CAUSE AND FINAL END.

- 48 Rom. xl. 36. "Of Him, and through Him, and to Him, are all things." Tune OLD TEN COMMANDMENTS. L. M.
 - ¹ C^{AUSE} of all causes, and the Source Whence universal being sprang; Thou wast ere time began its course, Or morning stars Thy praises sang.
 - 2 Existing through all ages, Thou The deeds of every age canst tell; All things above—all things below, And in the dreadful gloom of hell.

- 3 Through the vast regions of the air, The trackless wilderness of space, The worlds and systems wandering there Thine everlasting arms embrace.
- 4 Thou First, Thou Last, Thou Cause, and End Of all that is, or e'er shall be;
 To Thee, their Source, all beings tend,
 All things that are exist for Thee!

 Thomas Raffles, D.D., 1812.

THE DOMINION OF GOD.

49 Dan. iv. 35. "He doeth according to His will."

1 GLORIOUS, high, and lofty One! Self-existent, matchless God! Stands immovable Thy throne. Empires totter at Thy nod. Hallelujah.

2 Ranks of angels waiting stand To obey Thy sovereign will; Listening to Thy dread command, Winged Thy counsels to fulfil. Hallelujah.

Tune LUBECK. Or SEIR.

3 Saints before Thee sweetly sing, And Thy grand perfections praise; Heaven's eternal arches ring With Thy glorious acts of grace. Hallelujah.

4 Moving in unbounded space. Worlds of light beneath Thee shine; Round the earth perform their race, And o'er nations stretch their line. Hallelujah.

- 5 Countless oceans float in air, Guided by Thy skilful hand; By Thy order lightnings glare, Thunders roar at Thy command. Hallelujah.
- 6 Mighty winds, the gentle breeze, Summer's drought, the vernal shower, Limpid streams, and raging seas, All proclaim Thy sovereign power. Hallelujah.

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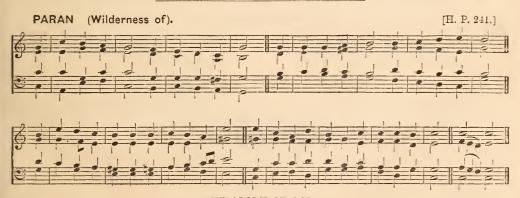
- 7 At Thy pleasure nations rise, Kings their pompous power display; And before Thy flaming eyes Kings and nations melt away. Hallelujah.
- 8 Thou array'st the broad campaign, All in bloody horrors, Lord! Troops contend, are wounded, slain At Thy all-commanding word. Hallelujah.
- 9 Haughty lords and humble swains From Thy will derive their birth; Thy eternal power maintains All the varied tribes on earth. Hallelujah.
- 10 Fish that shoot along the flood, Strong and savage beasts that prowl Round the lonely, trackless wood, All are under Thy control. Hallelujah.
- 11 All the feathered tribes that sing, As they hop from spray to spray, Or ascend on active wing, Thy amazing skill display. Hallelujah.



Hal·le·lu·jah, Hal·le·lu·jah!

12 Works of wonder Thou hast wrought,
Wondrous counsels to fulfil;
Every creature, action, thought,
Is subservient to Thy will! Hallelujah.

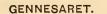
Job Hupton, 1896.



THE GLORY OF GOD.

50 Ps. cxlv. 10. "All Thy works shall praise Thee, O Lord." Tune PARAN. 10 10, 11 11.

- O WORSHIP the King, All glorious above!
 O gratefully sing His power and His love!
 Our Shield and Defender—The Ancient of Days,
 Pavilioned in splendour, And girded with praise.
- 2 O tell of His might, O sing of His grace, Whose robe is the light, Whose canopy space; His chariots of wrath Deep thunder-clouds form, And dark is His path On the wings of the storm.
- 3 This earth, with its store Of wonders untold, Almighty! Thy power Hath founded of old; Hath stablished it fast By a changeless decree, And round it hath cast, Like a mantle the sea.
- 4 Thy bountiful care, What tongue can recite? It breathes in the air, It shines in the light; It streams from the hills, It descends to the plain, And sweetly distils In the dew and the rain.
- 5 Frail children of dust, And feeble as frail, In Thee do we trust, Nor find Thee to fail; Thy mercies how tender, How firm to the end, Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend!
- 6 O measureless Might! Ineffable Love! While angels delight To hymn Thee above, The humbler creation, Though feeble their lays, With true adoration Shall lisp to Thy praise! Sir Robert Grant, 1839.



[H. P. 17.]



THE WISDOM OF GOD.

- 51 Job xxxvi. 5. "Behold, God is mighty . . . in wisdom." Tune GENNESARET. L. M. Or CYPRUS
 - 1 WAIT, O my soul, thy Maker's will: Tumultuous passions, all be still; Nor let a murmuring thought arise! His ways are just, His counsels wise.
 - 2 He in the thickest darkness dwells, Performs His work, the cause conceals; But though His methods are unknown. Judgment and truth support His throne.
- 3 In heaven, and earth, and air, and seas, He executes His firm decrees: And by His saints it stands confessed That what He does is ever best.
- 4 Wait then, my soul, submissive wait, Prostrate before His awful seat; And, 'midst the terrors of His rod, Trust in a wise and gracious God!

Benjamin Beddome, 1818.

TALLIS'S ORDINAL.

[H. P. 44.]



THE OMNIPOTENCE OF GOD.

Ps. cvii. 29. "He maketh the storm a calm."

1 THE Lord our God is full of might, The winds obey His will; He speaks, and in his heavenly height The rolling sun stands still.

2 Arise, ye waves, and o'er the land With threatening aspect roar, The Lord uplifts His awful hand, And chains you to the shore.

Tune Tallis. C. M.

Or EPHRON. 3 Howl, winds of night, your force combine!
Without His high behest,
Ye shall not, in the mountain pine,

Disturb the sparrow's nest.

- 4 His voice sublime is heard afar, In distant peals it dies; He yokes the whirlwind to His car, And sweeps the howling skies.
- 5 Ye nations, bend, in reverence bend; Ye monarchs, wait His nod, And bid the choral song ascend To celebrate our God!

Henry Kirke White, 1803.

CARMEL (Mount).

[H. P. 69.]



THE OMNISCIENCE OF GOD.

Jer. xvii. 10. "I the Lord search the heart,"

1 GOD knows our secret thoughts and words, And all our actions too:
Nor can a cloud conceal them from His penetrating view.

Tune CARMEL.

2 A boundless and mysterious deep His own perfections are; And yet He knows the wondrous depth That dwells profoundly there.

- 3 He knows the heavenly world on high, And every angel there; Nor can a seraph be without His knowledge and His care.
- 4 The earth, and hell, with all their train, Are open to His sight; And all the dark designs of both He'll shortly bring to light.
- 5 In knowledge unconfined He fixed His grand designs of grace; With all the plans of providence To save the chosen race.
- 6 In all His holy, wondrous plan, No error can arise; Ten thousand things unknown to us Are plain before His eyes!

Thomas Row, 1817.

THE GOODNESS OF GOD.

Tune TALLIS. C. M. Ps. xxxi. 19. "O how great is Thy goodness!"

- 1 THE goodness of our glorious God Is wonderfully bright; His goodness will we sound abroad, At morning, noon, and night.
- 2 Good is the Lord to all mankind, Relieving their complaints; But the best things He has designed For His believing saints.
- 3 Eternal good He'll freely pour On Israel's chosen race, And all His goodness they adore, And triumph in His grace.

- 4 O Lord, Thy goodness now display, Through the Redeemer's blood; Constraining all Thy saints to say, That "God is truly good!"
- 5 And may Thy goodness, dearest Lord, Lead us to mourn for sin: Keep us obedient to Thy word, And give the heaven within.
- 6 And when we soar above the skies, Beyond the glooms of night, Thy goodness will we ever praise, Through all the realms of light! Richard Burnham, 1794

See Hymn 87.

THE HOLINESS OF GOD.

Tune Tallis. C. M. Exod. xv. 11. "Glorious in holiness."

- 1 HOLY and reverend is the name Of our eternal King! "Thrice holy Lord," the angels cry, "Thrice holy," let us sing.
- 2 The deepest reverence of the mind, Pay, O my soul! to God; Lift, with thy hands, a holy heart To His sublime abode.
- 3 With sacred awe pronounce His name, Whom words nor thoughts can reach, A contrite heart shall please Him more Than noblest forms of speech.
- 4 Thou holy God, preserve my soul From all pollution free; The pure in heart are Thy delight, And they Thy face shall see!

John Needham, 1768.

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[H. P. 37.]



THE FAITHFULNESS OF GOD.

56 Ps. lxxxix. 1. "I will make known Thy faithfulness."

Tune IONA. C. M.

Or GLOUCESTER.

- 1 BEGIN, my tongue, some heavenly theme, And speak some boundless thing; The mighty works, or mightier name, Of our eternal King.
- 2 Tell of His wondrous faithfulness, And sound His power abroad; Sing the sweet promise of His grace, And our performing God.
- 3 Engraved as in eternal brass
 The mighty promise shines;
 Nor can the powers of darkness rase
 Those everlasting lines.

- 4 His every word of grace is strong As that which built the skies; The voice that rolls the stars along Speaks all the promises.
- 5 Oh! might I hear Thy heavenly tongue But whisper "Thou art Mine!" Those gentle words should raise my song To notes almost Divine.
- 6 How would my leaping heart rejoice,
 And think my heaven secure!
 I trust the all-creating Voice,
 And faith desires no more!
 Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.

GALILEE.

[H. P. 25.]



THE OMNIPRESENCE OF GOD.

57 Ps. cxxxix. 7. "Whither shall I flee from Thy presence?"

Tune Galilee. L. M. Or Dalmatia.

- FATHER and Friend! Thy light, Thy love Beaming through all Thy works we see; Thy glory gilds the heavens above, And all the earth is full of Thee.
- 2 Thy voice we hear—Thy presence feel, Whilst Thou, too pure for mortal sight, Involved in clouds—invisible, Reignest the Lord of life and light.
- 3 We know not in what hallowed part Of the wide heavens Thy throne may be, But this we know, that where Thou art, Strength, wisdom, goodness, dwell with Thee.
- 4 And through the various maze of time, And through infinity of space, We follow Thy career sublime, And all Thy wondrous footsteps trace.
- 5 Thy children shall not faint or fear, Sustained by this delightful thought, Since Thou their God art everywhere, They cannot be where Thou art not!

Sir John Bowring, LL.D., 1824.

MAON (Wilderness of).

[H. P. 229.]



THE PARDONING GOD.

58 Neh. ix. 17. "A God ready to vardon."

1 GREAT God of wonders! all Thy ways
Are matchless, Godlike, and Divine;
But the fair glories of Thy grace
More Godlike and unrivalled shine;
Who is a pardoning God like Thee?
Or who has grace so rich and free?

2 Crimes of such horror to forgive, Such guilty, daring worms to spare; This is Thy grand prerogative, And none shall in the honour share: Who is a pardoning God like Thee? Or who has grace so rich and free? Tune MAON. 88, 88, 88.

3 In wonder lost, with trembling joy
We take the pardon of our God;
Pardon for crimes of deepest dye;
A pardon bought with Jesus' blood;
Who is a pardoning God like Thee?
Or who has grace so rich and free?

4 Oh! may this strange, this matchless grace, This Godlike miracle of love, Fill the wide earth with grateful praise, And all the angelic choirs above: Who is a pardoning God like Thee? Or who has grace so rich and free?

President Samuel Davies, 1769.

See Hymns 680-684.



THE MERCY OF GOD.

59 Ps. lxxxix. 1. "I will sing of the mercies of the Lord for ever."

Tune PARAN. 11 11, 11 11.

1 THY mercy, my God, is the theme of my song, The joy of my heart and the boast of my tongue;

Thy free grace alone, from the first to the last, Hath won my affections, and bound my soul fast.

- 2 Without Thy sweet mercy, I could not live here, Sin soon would reduce me to utter despair, But through Thy free goodness my spirits revive, And He that first made me still keeps me alive.
- 3 Thy mercy is more than a match for my heart, Which wonders to feel its own hardness depart; Dissolved by Thy goodness. I fall to the ground. And weep to the praise of the mercy I've found.
- 4 Thy mercy is endless, most tender and free : No sinner need doubt, since 'tis given to me: No merit will buy it, nor sin stop its course; Good works are the fruits of its freeness and force.
- 5 Thy mercy in Jesus exempts me from hell: Its glories I'll sing, and its wonders I'll tell: "Twas Jesus, my Friend, when He hung on the tree. That opened the channel of mercy for me.
- 6 Great Father of mercies! Thy goodness I own, And the covenant love of Thy crucified Son; All praise to the Spirit, whose whisper Divine Seals mercy, and pardon, and righteousness mine! John Stocker, 1776. (a.)



THE MAJESTY OF GOD.

Tune LUBECK.

77, 77.

Ps. xciii. 1. "He is clothed with majesty."

- 1 GLORY to the ternal King,
 Clad in majesty supreme!
 Let all heaven His praises sing,
 Let all worlds His power proclaim. Hallelujah.
- 2 Through eternity He reigns In unbounded realms of light: He the universe sustains As an atom in His sight. Hallelujah.

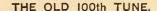
3 Suns on suns, through boundless space. With their systems move or stand; Or, to occupy their place, New orbs rise at His command.

Hallelujah.

4 Kingdoms flourish, empires fall, Nations live, and nations die, All forms nothing, nothing all— At the movement of His eye. Hallelujah.

5 Oh let my transported soul Ever on His glories gaze! Ever yield to His control, Ever sound His lofty praise!

Hallelujah. Benjamin Francis, 1787.



[H. P. 1.]



THE KINDNESS OF GOD.

61 Ps. lii. 1. "The goodness of God endureth continually."

Tune OLD HUNDREDTH. L. M.

1 GIVE thanks to God, He reigns above; Kind are His thoughts, His name is love; His mercy ages past have known, And ages long to come shall own.

2 Let the redeemed of the Lord
The wonders of His grace record;
How great His works; how kind His ways!
Let every tongue pronounce His praise!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1719.

FRANKFORT.

[H. P. 183.]



LOVE AND WISDOM.

62

1 John iv. 8. "God is love."

Tune FRANKFORT. 87, 87.

- 1 GOD is love, His mercy brightens All the path in which we rove; Bliss He wakes, and woe He lightens; God is wisdom, God is love.
- 2 Chance and change are busy ever, Man decays, and ages move; But His mercy waneth never; God is wisdom, God is love.

God is wisdom, God is least God is Wisdom, God is least God is Wisdom, God is least God is least God is Wisdom, God is least God is least God is Wisdom, God is least Go

- 3 E'en the hour that darkest seemeth Will His changeless goodness prove; From the mist His brightness streameth, God is wisdom, God is love.
- 4 He with earthly cares entwineth Hope and comfort from above; Everywhere His glory shineth; God is wisdom, God is love!

Sir John Bowring, LL.D., 1825.

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THE UNCHANGEABLE GOD.

63 Jer. xxxi. 3. "I have loved thee with an everlasting love."

Tune CULBACH. 87, 87.

- 1 GREAT Jehovah's love endureth, Then away with all complaints! His unchanging love secureth Crowns of glory for the saints.
- 2 May we all be ever learning How it shines in Christ the Lamb, Never knows a shade of turning, But in Him abides the same.

- 3 This great truth yields heavenly pleasure To the feeble and the faint, Ever proves a solid treasure To the weak and weary saint.
- 4 What a spring of consolation Is the Lord's abounding grace; And what blissful contemplation This affords the chosen race.

5 Father! help us now to ponder On Thy never-ceasing love; Fill us with transporting wonder While its boundless joys we prove!

Richard Burnham, 1794.

SARDIS. (HYMN CHANT.)

[H. P. VI.]



THE NAMES OF JEHOVAH.

64

Exod. vi. 3. "My name Jehovah."

- 1 "JEHOVAH ELOHIM!" Creator Great,
 Who art with glorious attributes arrayed; To Thee by heaven and earth and all therein, Be everlasting praise and worship paid !
- 2 "Jehovah Jireh!" who our ruin saw, And as a ransom did Thyself provide; As guilty sinners we would fly to Thee, And in Thy bosom from Thine anger Gen. xxii. 14.
- 3 "Jehovah Rophi!"—sick, diseased with sin, We come to Thee who canst our sickness heal: Oh touch and cleanse each plague-spot of our souls, And grant us life and strength within to feel. Exod. xv. 26.
- 4 "JEHOVAH NISSI!"-in the midst of foes, The glorious banner of Thy love unfurled Waves o'er our heads,—yea, Thou our Banner art, By faith in whom we overcome the world. Exod. xvii. 15.

Tune, Hymn Chant Sardis. 10 10, 10 10.

- 5 "Jehovah Shalom!"—Thou who art "our Peace," Oh whisper calm to every troubled heart: Say to the raging waters, "Peace, be still!" And make each unbelieving fear depart.
- 6 "JEHOVAH TZIDKENU!"—we love that name, Which bids us know, while pardoning, Thou art
 - just,
 "The Lord our Righteousness" shall be our song,
 "The Lord our Righteousness" our only trust.
- 7 "JEHOVAH SHAMMAH!" soon, oh! soon descend, And make this earth again Thy blest abode, Bid sin and sorrow cease, and come and reign, Our ever-gracious, ever-present God! Ezek, xlviii. 35.

Christina Forsyta, 1858.

THEME III .- The Acts of the Triune Jehobah.

CHESALON (Mount).

TH. P. 35.1



(1) THE EVERLASTING COVENANT OF GRACE.

65 Rom. xi. 36. "Of Him, and through Him, and to Him, are all things."

Tune CHESALON.

- ARISE, my soul, in songs to own Thy faithful covenant God; Of Him, through Him, to Him alone Salvation now record.
- 2 Of God the Father's sovereign choice. Of God the Saviour's grace.
 Of God the Spirit's quickening voice. Live all the chosen race.
- 3 Through God the Father's faithfulness. Through God the Spirit's night.
 Through God the Saviour's righteousness,
 We gain the realms of light.
- 4 To God the Father praise belongs. To God the Son we sing.
 To God the Holy Ghost the throng
 Of saints shall glory bring!

Joseph Irons, 1825.



1 OF Israel's covenant God I boast, As part of Israel's stock; The Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, Are my eternal rock.

2 Of Him beloved before the fall, Through Him salvation came; To Him I owe my life-my all; All glory to His name!

3 Of Him I gain a right to heaven, Through Him I'm justified. To Him my helpless soul is given, And with Him glorified.

4 Of Him I love to speak and sing, Through Him I've joy and peace, To Him my guilt and shame I bring, And triumph in His grace.

5 Of Him I daily grace receive,
Through Him my joys abound,
To Him I bow, in Him believe,
With Him I shall be crowned.

6 My Father's everlasting love, My Father's everlasing 1976,
My Saviour's precious name,
My Teacher's unction from above,
Let all the church proclaim!

Joseph Irons, 1825. 69 Tune MORIAH. 6666, 88. Ps. lxxxix. 3. "I have made a covenant with My chosen."

1 WITH David's Lord and ours W A Covenant once was made, Whose bonds are firm and sure, Whose glories ne'er shall fade; Signed by the sacred Three in One, Jehovah-Father, Spirit, Son.

2 Firm as the lasting hills, This covenant shall endure Whose potent shalls and wills
Make every blessing sure:
When ruin shakes all nature's frame, Its every word shall stand the same.

> 3 Here, when thy feet shall fall, Believer, thou shalt see Grace to restore thy soul, And pardon, full and free; Thee with delight shall God behold, A sheep restored to Zion's fold.

MORIAH (Mount). [H. P. 119.]



4 And when through Jordan's flood Thy God shall bid thee go, His arm shall thee defend, And vanquish every foe And in this covenant thou shalt view Sufficient strength to bear thee through. John Kent, 1803.

PERGAMOS. (HYMN CHANT.)

[H. P. No. IV.]



Ps. lxxxix. 1. "I will sing of the mercies of the Lord for ever." Hymn Chant PERGAMOS. 66, 84. D. Or ARNON.

THE God of Abraham praise, Who reigns enthroned above, Ancient of everlasting days, And God of love Jehovah, great I AM!
By earth and heaven confessed;
I bow and bless the sacred Name,

For ever blest!

The God of Abraham praise, At whose supreme command From earth I rise and seek the joys At His right hand: I all on earth forsake, Its wisdom, fame, and power; And Him my only portion make, My shield and tower.

The God of Abraham praise, Whose all-sufficient grace Shall guide me all my happy days In all His ways:
He calls a worm His friend,
He calls Himself my God! d He shall save me to the end, Through Jesu's blood,

He by Himself hath sworn, I on His oath depend:
I shall, on eagles' wings upborne,
To heaven ascend:
I shall behold His face,
I shall His power adore, And sing the wonders of His grace For evermore!

PART II.

Though nature's strength decay, 9 And earth and hell withstand, To Canaan's bounds I urge my way At His command: The watery deep I pass With Jesus in my view, And through the howling wilder-My way pursue. Iness

The goodly land I see,
With peace and plenty blest;
A land of sacred liberty, And endless rest:
There milk and honey flow; And oil and wine abound: And trees of life for ever grow,

With mercy crowned. There dwells the Lord our King, 11 The Lord our Righteousness!
Triumphant o'er the world and sin,
The Prince of Peace! On Zion's sacred height His kingdom still maintains : And glorious with His saints in

For ever reigns! He keeps His own secure. He guards them by His side, Arrays in garments white and pure His spotless bride: With streams of sacred bliss, With groves of living joys. With all the fruits of paradise, He still supplies.

PART III.

Before the Great Three-One They all exulting stand. And tell the wonders He hath done Through all their land: The listening spheres attend, And swell the growing fame: And sing, in songs which never end. The wondrous Name.

The God who reigns on high The great archangels sing; nd "Holy, holy, holy," cry, "Almighty King!
Who was and is the same, And evermore shall be: Jehovah, Father, great I AM, We worship Thee."

Before the Saviour's face The ransomed nations bow, O'erwhelmed at His almighty grace. For ever new: He shows His prints of love: They kindle to a flame, [above, And sound, through all the world The slaughtered Lamb.

The whole triumphant host Give thanks to God on high,
"Hail Father, Son, and Holy
They ever cry: [Ghost!" They ever cry: [Ghost!" Hail, Abraham's God, and mine! (I join the heavenly lays;) All might and majesty are Thine, And endless praise!

Thomas Olivers, 1772.





71 Rom. iv. 16. "The promise . . . sure to all the seed."

1 GRACE is Jehovah's sovereign will, Which for His seed He will fulfil Longer than sun and moon endure.

2 Grace is a firm but friendly hand, Put forth by God to save His own; And by that grace, through faith, we stand Adoring at our Father's throne.

3 Lord, help us on Thy grace to stand, And every trial firm endure:

Tune HEBRON. L. M.

Preserved by Thy sovereign hand, And by Thine oath and covenant sure.

4 Thy willingness to save Thy seed, Is as they stand in Christ their Head: No act Thy grace can supersede, For Thine must live, though they were dead.

5 Thanks, everlasting thanks be given To God, to Christ, for matchless grace; And to that Dove, who seals for heaven All who shall sing Jehovah's praise.

John Stevens, 1808.

[H. P. 12.]

FRENCH; or, DUNDEE.



Rom. iii. 24. "Justified freely by His grace." Tune FRENCH. C. M.

- 1 LOVE was the great self-moving cause, From whence salvation came; Free grace, the channel where it flows, Eternally the same.
- 2 Free grace, thy peerless glories beamed Before the Day Star rose! Angels elect, and men redeemed, Thy fame can ne'er disclose.
- 3 Free grace the Christian's charter is, The royal grant of Heaven; In this he finds his righteousness, And sees his sins forgiven.

- 4 Free grace hath heights and depths unknown, Beyond what seraphs know; "Tis high as heaven's eternal throne, And deep as hell below.
- 5 Free grace can cleanse the foulest stains, That red like crimson prove; It flowed from our Redeemer's veins, In drops of endless love.
- 6 Free grace they sing before the throne, Without one jarring sound; The Lamb's redeeming blood, they own, Their mighty ransom found.
- 7 Free grace, we'll count thy wonders o'er, And lift thy glories high; We hope, at last, on Jordan's shore, In thine embrace to die! John Kent, 1803. (a.)

HANOVER; or, MODERN 104TH. [H. P. 239.]

Tune HANOVER.

10 10, 11 11.

Zeph. iii. 17. "He will rest in His love."

1 SALVATION by grace, how charming the song! With seraphim join, the theme to prolong; 'Twas planned by Jehovah in council above, Who to everlasting shall rest in His love.

- 2 This covenant of grace all blessings secures;
 Believer, rejoice, for all things are yours:
 And God from His purpose shall never remove,
 But love thee, and bless thee, and rest in His love.
- 3 But when, like a sheep that strays from the fold, To Jesus thy Lord thy love shall grow cold, Think not He'll reject thee, but rather reprove, Yet though He correct thee, He'll rest in His love!

 John Kent, 1803.



- 74 Rom. viii. 30. "Whom He did predestinate, . . . them He also glorified." Tune KEDRON. 886. D.
 - 1 BRIGHT from the mysteries of God, With beams of mercy all abroad Shines His electing love:
 Sweet to the chosen of the Lord, To those whom His eternal word Appoints to bliss above.
 - 2 In chains of sin before enthralled, The chosen by free grace are called, And from their sin they cease; And, justified by faith, they find The only comfort of the mind, The Spirit's holy peace.

- 3 When Death, that mighty king of fear, Proclaims their time is finished here, (To them a glorious hour!) With joy the summons they embrace, To meet Emmanuel face to face, Partakers of His power.
- 4 Triumphantly they take their flight
 To realms of everlasting light,
 Washed in a Saviour's blood:
 A Saviour, whom they'll ever plaise,
 When shouting in seraphic lays
 Salvation to our God!
 Philip Gell's Collection, 1826.



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Isa. lvi. 4. "Take hold of My covenant."

1 'TIS mine, the covenant of His grace, And every promise mine: All sprung from everlasting love, And sealed by blood Divine. Tune BEDFORD. C. M.

2 On my unworthy favoured head Its blessings all unite; Blessings more numerous than the stars, More lasting and more bright.

3 That covenant the last accent claims Of this poor faltering tongue, And that shall the first notes employ Of my celestial song!

Philip Doddridge, D.D., 1755.

FRANCONIA.

[H. P. 87.]



76

Eph. i. 4. "He hath chosen us in Christ."

- 1 "YOU have not chosen Me,"
 The Lord our Saviour said: But He hath chosen us, we see, And raised us from the dead.
- 2 We must not once suppose That we the difference make Between ourselves, and such as those Who do not grace partake.
- 3 God's sovereign choice alone Has set His saints apart; And we by faith rejoice to own It wrought our change of heart.

Tune Franconia. S. M.

- 4 Has not the Lord of all A most undoubted right
 To choose whom He will love, and call
 To live with Him in light?
- 5 Can mortals e'er arraign The Ruler of the skies? Or have a reason to complain He is not just and wise?
- 6 We know that Thou art just ; We know that Thou art wise; And so we humbly wait and trust Till clearer light arise

7 O Lord! we would adore The grace that made us Thine;
And praise Thy name, as sinners poor,
For favour so Divine!

Thomas Row, 1817. (a.)

SWABIA.

[H. P. 82.]



Tune SWABIA.

S. M.

Eph. ii. 8. "By grace are ye saved."

- 1 GRACE! 'tis a charming sound! Harmonious to the ear: Heaven with the echo shall resound, And all the earth shall hear.
- 2 Grace first contrived a way To save rebellious man, And all the steps that grace display, Which drew the wondrous plan!
- 3 Grace first inscribed my name In God's eternal book: 'Twas grace that gave me to the Lamb, Who all my sorrows took.
- 4 Grace taught my soul to pray, And pardoning love to know; 'Twas grace that kept me to this day, And will not let me go.
- 5 Grace all the work shall crown, Through everlasting days: It lays in heaven the topmost stone, And well deserves the praise! P. Doddridge, D.D., 1755; A. M. Toplady, 1776.

Tune SWABIA.

S. M. 1 Cor. xv. 10. "By the grace of God I am what I

am. 1 FREE grace! melodious sound! How it delights my ear: It cheers my soul, revives my hope, And drowns my every fear!

- 2 Through grace I conquer hell, And break infernal chains! Through grace my soul aspires to heaven, Where the Redeemer reigns.
- 3 Grace the good work begins, And grace completes the same: Grace shall constrain my soul to raise Hosannas to the Lamb.
- 4 From His abounding grace I daily draw supplies; Grace is the never-ceasing spring Of all my sacred joys.
- 5 And when we meet our Lord In you celestial throng, Grace shall inspire our souls to sing, And grace be all our song! Richard Burnham, 1794. (a.)

Tune CRESCENS. 118, 118. Eph. i. 3. "Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ."

1 IN songs of sublime adoration and praise, Ye pilgrims to Zion above, Break forth, and extol the great Ancient of His rich and distinguishing love.

2 His love, from eternity fixed upon you. Broke forth and discovered its flame,

When each with the cords of His kindness He drew. And brought you to love His great name.

3 Oh, had He not pitied the state you were in, Your bosoms His love had ne'er felt ; You all would have lived, would have died

too, in sin,

And sunk with the load of your guilt.

4 What was there in you that could merit esteem, Or give the Creator delight?
"Twas even so, Father," Thy love did redeem,
"Because it seemed good in Thy sight."

5 'Twas all of Thy grace we were brought to obey, While others were suffered to go;

CRESCENS.

[H. P. 244.]





The road which, by nature, we chose as our way, Leads only to regions of woe.

6 Then give Him the glory all due to His name, To Him all the glory belongs; Be yours the high joy still to sound forth His fame, And crown Him with jubilant songs!

George Keith, 1787. (a.)

KENT.

TH. P. 63.1



Ps. lxxxix. 34. "My covenant will I not break."

1 MY God! the covenant of Thy love Abides for ever sure: And in its matchless grace I feel My happiness secure.

2 What though my house be not with Thee As nature could desire! To nobler joys than nature gives Thy servants all aspire.

Tune Kent. C. M. Or KEDAR.

3 Since Thou, the everlasting God, My Father art become, Jesus my Guardian and my Friend, And heaven my final home;

4 I welcome all Thy sovereign will, For all that will is love; And, when I know not what Thou dost, I wait the light above.

5 Thy covenant in the darkest gloom Shall heavenly rays impart,
Which, when my eyelids close in death,
Shall warm my chilling heart!

Philip Doddridge, D.D., 1755.

Rom. xi. 7. "The election hath obtained it."

1 FTERNAL election preserves me secure. E I live by that sovereign decree;
Redeemed by my Saviour, and called by His power,
I worship the covenant Three!

2 'Tis grace unexpected my spirit now sings, Emerging from regions of night; My heart, put in tune by celestial things, Gives praise for the dawning of light.

3 From chambers of death and defilement I rise, My robes of pollution lay by;
New clothed by my Saviour, approved in His eyes,
I sing of His friendship with joy. Tune Crescens. 118, 118.

4 I did not suppose it, but now I believe, He died as a Surety for me:
Through His crucifixion, by faith I receive
Salvation completed and free.

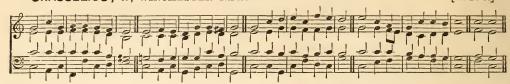
5 When Adam our father revolted and fell, Mankind became guilty and dead; Free grace still prevented from falling to hell The members who stood in their Head.

6 Their union, eternal, could not be destroyed, Though ruin came in by offence; For love everlasting sent Jesus, who died, And bore their iniquity hence!

John Stevens, 1808.

CRASSELIUS; or, WINCHESTER NEW.

[H. P. 3.]



82 Rom. viii. 29. "He also did predestinate."

Tune Crasselius. L. M. Or Tallis's Canon.

- 1 I SING the gracious fixed decree, Passed by the great Eternal Three, In council held in heaven above: The Lord's predestinating love.
- 2 All that concerns the chosen race, In nature, providence, and grace, Where they shall dwell, and when remove, Fixed by predestinating love.
- 3 Their calling, growth, and robes they wear, Their conflicts, trials, daily care, Are, for them, well arranged above, By God's predestinating love.
- 4 In this let Zion's sons rejoice, Their God will not revoke His choice; Nor sin, nor death, nor hell, can move His firm predestinating love.

5 This is our bulwark of defence. Nor foes, nor friends, shall drive us hence: In life, and death, and realms above, We'll sing predestinating love!

Joseph Irons, 1825.

HURSLEY.

[H. P. 260.]



2 Sam. xxiii. 5. "He hath made with me an everlasting covenant, ordered in all things, and sure."

Tune Hursley. L. M. Or Gilboa.

- 1 JEHOVAH'S covenant shall endure, All ordered, everlasting, sure! O child of God, rejoice to trace Thy portion in its glorious grace.
- 2 'Tis thine, for Christ is given to be The covenant of God to thee; In Him, God's golden scroll of light, The darkest truths are clear and bright.
- 3 O sorrowing sinner, well He knew, Ere time began, what He would do! Then rest thy hope within the veil; His covenant mercies shall not fail.
- 4 O doubting one, the' eternal Three Are pledged in faithfulness for thee; Claim every promise, sweet and sure, By covenant oath of God secure.

- 5 O waiting one, each moment's fall Is marked by Love that planned them all; Thy times, all ordered by His hand, In God's eternal covenant stand.
- 6 O feeble one, look up and see Strong consolation sworn for thee; Jehovah's glorious arm is shown, His covenant strength is all thine own.
- 7 O mourning one, each stroke of love A covenant blessing yet shall prove; His covenant love shall be thy stay; His covenant grace be as thy day.
- 8 O Love that chose, O Love that died, O Love that sealed and sanctified, All glory, glory, glory be, O covenant, Triune God, to Thee!

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1872.

886. D.

84 Zech. iv. 7. "Shoutings, crying, Grace, grace unto it."

1 HARK! how the blood-bought host above Conspire to praise redeeming love In sweet harmonious strains; And while they strike their golden lyres, This glorious theme each bosom fires, That grace triumphant reigns.

2 Join thou, my soul, for thou canst tell How grace Divine broke up thy cell, And loosed thy native chains; Tune Magdalene College.

And still, from that auspicious day, How oft art thou constrained to say, That grace triumphant reigns.

3 When David fell, in days of old,
This brought the wanderer to the fold,
A prisoner in his chains;
Now free from sin, a virgin soul,
To sing, while endless ages roll,
That grace triumphant reigns.





Shall grace triumphant reign.

85 Tune HAVILAH. 87, 87, 47, Rom. viii. 29. "He also did predestinate."

John Kent, 1803.

1 ARE the saints predestinated By the purposes of grace? They can never be frustrated, God will have His chosen race; In His kingdom, All His saints shall see His face.

2 Are the saints predestinated To a kingdom and a crown? Then they shall be new-created, God will send His Spirit down To transform them To the image of His Son.

3 Are the saints predestinated To their mansions built above? This rich blessing emanated From Jehovah's sovereign love; His affection Never, never shall remove.

Yes, we are predestinated!
"Tis asserted by the King; With this precious truth elated, We will of His mercy sing; Home to glory
Jesus will His subjects bring! Joseph Irons, 1825.

(2) CREATION.

86 Ps. xix. 1. "The heavens declare the glory of God."

1 THE spacious firmament on high, With all the blue ethereal sky, And spangled heavens, a shining frame, Their great Original proclaim. The' unwearied sun, from day to day, Does his Creator's power display. And publishes to every land The work of an Almighty hand.

Soon as the evening shades prevail, The moon takes up the wondrous tale, And nightly to the listening earth Repeats the story of her birth;

Tune Crasselius. L. M. D.

Whilst all the stars that round her burn, And all the planets in their turn, Confirm the tidings, as they roll, And spread the truth from pole to pole.

3 What, though in solemn silence all Move round the dark terrestrial ball; What, though no real voice or sound Amidst their radiant orbs be found? In reason's ear they all rejoice, And utter forth a glorious voice, For ever singing, as they shine, "The hand that made us is Divine!"

Joseph Addison, 1712.



87

Ps. cxix. 68. "Thou art good."

- YES, God is good; in earth and sky, From ocean-depths and spreading wood, Ten thousand voices seem to cry, "God made us all, and God is good,"
- 2 The sun that keeps his trackless way, And downward pours his golden flood, Night's sparkling hosts, all seem to say, In accents clear, that God is good.
- 3 The merry birds prolong the strain, Their song with every spring renewed; And balmy air, and falling rain, Each softly whisper, "God is good."

Tune Waldeck. L.M.

4 I hear it in the rushing breeze;
The hills that have for ages stood,

The echoing sky and roaring seas,
All swell the chorus, "God is good."

Ves God is good all nature says

- 5 Yes, God is good, all nature says, By God's own hand with speech endued; And man, in louder notes of praise, Should sing for joy that God is good.
- 6 For all Thy gifts we bless Thee, Lord;
 But chiefly for our heavenly food,
 Thy pardoning grace, Thy quickening word;
 These prompt our song, that "God is good!"

 John Hampden Gurney, 1838.



88 Ps. cxlv. 10. "All Thy works shall praise Thee."

- HARK! my soul, how everything Strives to serve our bounteous King, Each a double tribute pays, Sings its part, and then obeys.
- 2 Nature's chief and sweetest quire Him with cheerful notes admire; Chanting every day their lauds, While the grove their song applauds.
- 3 Though their voices lower be, Streams have too their melody; Night and day they warbling run, Never pause, but still sing on.

Tune HARTS. 77.77.

Or REPHAIM.

- 4 All the flowers that gild the spring Hither their still music bring; If Heaven bless them, thankful they Smell more sweet, and look more gay.
- 5 Wake, for shame, my sluggish heart, Wake, and gladly sing thy part: Learn of birds, and springs, and flowers, How to use thy nobler powers.
- 6 Live for ever, glorious Lord! Live, by all Thy works adored! One in Three, and Three in One, Thrice we bow to Thee alone!

John Austin, 1668.

JULIUS. [H. P. 266.]

Q Tune Julius. 87, 887.

Ps. cxlviii. 13. "Let them praise the name of the Lord."

A NGELS holy,
High and lowly,
Sing the praises of the Lord!
Earth and sky, all living nature,
Man, the stamp of thy Creator,
Praise ye, praise ye, God the Lord!

Sun and moon bright, Night and noonlight, Starry temples azure-floored; Cloud and rain, and wild winds' madness,

Sons of God that shout for gladness, Praise ye, praise ye, God the Lord! 3 Ocean hoary Tell His glory Cliffs, where tumbling seas have roared! Pulse of waters, blithely beating, Wave advancing, wave retreating, Praise ye, praise ye, God the Lord! Rock and high land,

Wood and island, Crag, where eagle's pride hath soared; Mighty mountains, purple-breasted, Peaks cloud-cleaving, snowy-crested, Praise ye, praise ye, God the Lord!

5 Rolling river, Praise Him ever, From the mountain's deep vein poured; Silver fountain, clearly gushing, Troubled torrent, madly rushing, Praise ye, praise ye, God the Lord!

Praise Him ever, Bounteous Giver Praise Him, Father, Friend, and Lord! Each glad soul, its free course winging, Each glad voice, its free song singing,
Praise the great and mighty Lord!

John Stuart Blackie, 1857.

PERGAMOS. (HYMN CHANT.)

TH. P. No. IV.



90 Ps. cxlviii. 1. "Praise ye the Lord."

1 THE strain upraise of joy and praise, Allelúia! To the glory of their King shall the ransomed péople sing, Alleluia!

2 And the choirs that dwell on high shall re-echo through the sky Alleluia! They through the fields of Paradise who roam, the blessed ones, repeat through that bright home, Alleluia!

3 The planets glittering on their héavenly way, The shining constellations, join and say

Alleluia! Alleluia!

4 Ye clouds that onward sweep, ye winds on pinions light,

Ye thunders, echoing loud and deep, ye lightnings wildly bright, In sweet consent unite Your Alleluia!

5 Ye floods and ocean billows, ye storms and winter

Ye days of cloudless beauty, hoar frost and summer glow:

Ye groves that wave in spring, and glorious forest, Alleluia!

6 First let the birds, with painted plumage gay, exalt their great Creator's praise, and say, Alleluia! their great Creator's praise, and say, Alleluia! Then let the beasts of earth, with varying strain, join in creation's hymn, and cry again,

Alleluia!

Tune, Hymn Chant PERGAMOS.

7 Here let the mountains thunder forth sonorous. Alleluia! There let the valleys sing in géntler chorus, Alleluia!

8 Thou jubilant abyss of ócean, cry Alleluia! Ye tracts of earth and continents, reply

9 To God, who all creation made, The frequent hymn be duly paid:

Alleluia! Alleluia!

10 This is the strain, the eternal strain, the Lord Almighty loves; Alleluia!

This is the song, the heavenly song, that Christ Himsélf approves; Alleluia!

11 Wherefore we sing, both heart and voice awaking, And children's voices echo, ánswer making, Alleluia!

12 Now from all men bé outpoured Alleluia tó the Lord: With Alleluia évermore The Son and Spirit wé adore.

13 Praise be done to the Thrée in One, Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Godeschalcus, circa 940; John Mason Neale, D.D. (tr.), 1851.

Note.-Printed thus to facilitate chanting.



Ps. c. 3. "It is He that hath made us."

1 BEFORE Jehovah's awful throne. Ye nations bow with sacred joy; Know that the Lord is God alone, He can create, and He destroy.

2 His sovereign power, without our aid, Made us of clay, and formed us men: And when like wandering sheep we strayed, He brought us to His fold again.

Tune OLD HUNDREDTH. L. M.

> 3 We'll crowd Thy gates with thankful songs, High as the heavens our voices raise; And earth, with her ten thousand tongues, Shall fill Thy courts with sounding praise.

> 4 Wide as the world is Thy command,
> Vast as eternity Thy love;
> Firm as a rock Thy truth must stand,
> When rolling years shall cease to move!
> Isaac Watts, D.D., 1719 (a. by John Wesle).



- 99. Ps. xcvi. 1. "O sing unto the Lord a new song."
 - 1 COME, oh come! in pious lays Sound we God Almighty's praise; Hither bring, in one consent, Heart, and voice, and instrument: Music add of every kind; Sound the trump, the cornet wind, Strike the viol, touch the lute, Let not tongue nor string be mute; Nor a creature dumb be found That hath either voice or sound.
 - 2 Let those things which do not live In still music praises give; Lowly pipe, ye worms that creep On the earth or in the deep: Loud aloft your voices strain, Beasts and monsters of the main; Birds, your warbling treble sing; Clouds, your peals of thunder ring; Sun and moon, exalted higher, And bright stars, augment the choir.
 - 3 Come, ye sons of human race, In this chorus take your place, And amid the mortal throng Be you masters of the song: Angels and supernal powers, Be the noblest tenor yours:

Tune Kadesh.

77, 77, 77, 77, 77, 77.

Let, in praise of God, the sound Run a never-ending round, That our song of praise may be Everlasting, as is He.

- 4 From earth's vast and hollow womb Music's deepest bass may come; Seas and floods, from shore to shore, Shall their counter-tenors roar: To this concert, when we sing, Whistling winds, your descants bring; That our song may over-climb All the bounds of place and time, And ascend, from sphere to sphere, To the great Almighty's ear.
- 5 So from heaven on earth He shall Let His gracious blessings fall; And this huge wide orb we see Shall one choir, one temple be; Where in such a praiseful tone We will sing what He hath done, That the cursed fiends below Shall thereat impatient grow: Then, oh come, in pious lays Sound we God Almighty's praise!

George Wither, 1641.

THE OLD 100th TUNE.

[H. P. 1.]



93 Gen. i. 1. "In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth."

Tune OLD HUNDREDTH. L.M.

- 1 IN the beginning, God said "Be!" And all things were—heaven, earth, and sea: God, in the end, once more will say, "Perish!" and all shall pass away.
- 2 But Thou, O Lord! for ever art: The orb of Thine eternity Is one great whole, without a part; Past, present, future, meet in Thee.

- 3 Convinced of sin, my soul would bend Before Thee in the lowest dust;
 Yet to Thy throne by prayer ascend,
 With trembling awe and childlike trust.
- 4 Oh look in loving-kindness down On a frail worm with Thee at strife; Eternal death were in Thy frown, Thy smile will be eternal life!

James Montgomery, 1953.



FH. P. 52.1



94 Ps. civ. 24. "In wisdom hast Thou made them all."

- 1 I SING the almighty power of God, That made the mountains rise, That spread the flowing seas abroad, And built the lofty skies.
- 2 I sing the wisdom that ordained The sun to rule the day: The moon shines full at His command, And all the stars obey.
- 3 I sing the goodness of the Lord,
 That filled the earth with food;
 He formed the creatures with His word,
 And then pronounced them good.
- 4 Lord, how Thy wonders are displayed Where'er I turn mine eye;
 If I survey the ground I tread,
 Or gaze upon the sky!

Tune St. ANN. C. M.

- 5 There's not a plant or flower below, But makes Thy glories known; And clouds arise, and tempests blow, By order from Thy throne.
- 6 Creatures, as numerous as they be, Are subject to Thy care; There's not a place where we can flee But God is present there.
- 7 In heaven He shines with beams of love, With wrath in hell beneath; 'Tis on His earth I stand or move, And 'tis His air I breathe.
- 8 His hand is my perpetual guard; He keeps me with His eye; Why should I then forget the Lord, Who is for ever nigh?

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1715.



- 95 Gen. i. 10. "God saw that it was good."
 - 1 'TWAS God that made the ocean,
 And laid its sandy bed;
 He gave the stars their motion,
 And built the mountain's head:
 He made the rolling thunder,
 The lightning's forked flame;
 His works are full of wonder,
 All-glorious is His name.
 - 2 And must it not surprise us
 That One, so high and great,
 Should see, and not despise us
 Poor sinners, at His feet?
 Yet day by day He gives us
 Our raiment and our food;
 In sickness He relieves us,
 And is in all things good.

Tune Mahanaim. 76, 76. D. Or CRÜGER.

- 3 But things that are far greater
 His mighty hand hath done;
 And sent us blessings sweeter,
 Through Christ His only Son;
 Who, when He saw us dying
 In sin and sorrow's night,
 On wings of mercy flying,
 Came down with life and light,
- 4 He gives His word to teach us
 Our danger and our wants;
 And kindly doth beseech us
 To take the life He grants,
 His Holy Spirit frees us
 From Satan's deadly power;
 Leads us by faith to Jesus,
 And makes His glory ours!

 Church Sunday School Hymn Book, 1963.



96 Gen. i. 31. "Behold, it was very good."

1 PRAISE the High, the Holy One!
God o'er all, the First, the Last:
For He spake, and it was done;
He commanded, it stood fast.

2 At His word, from darkness light, Harmony from discord broke; Weakness started into might, Beauty out of dust awoke:

3 Fire and water, air and earth, Heard His voice and hushed their strife; Death itself, by wondrous birth, Grew the parent of all life.

4 Plant, and flower, and herb, and tree, Sprang spontaneous from the sod; Sun and moon, and land and sea, Day and night, beheld their God.

See Hymns 50, 116, 341—343, 604, 622, 1003.

Tune GIBBONS. 77, 77.

5 Fishes, fowls upon the wing, Beasts, and all that creep or fly, Every breathing, moving thing, Peopled forest, flood, and sky.

6 But while all was fair and good, All accordant to His will, None their Maker understood, Mind and thought were wanting still.

7 God, His glory to display,
With His image crowned the whole,
Breathed His Spirit into clay,
And made man a living soul.

8 Hallelujah! praise the One God o'er all, the First, the Last: For He spake, and it was done; He commanded, it stood fast!

James Montgomery, 1851.

EDEN.
[H. P. 38.]

(3) PROVIDENCE.

97 Ps. iv. 8. "Thou, Lord, only makest me dwell in safety."

1 LORD! in the day Thou art about
The paths wherein I tread;
And in the night, when I lie down,
Thou art about my bed.

 While others in God's prisons lie, Bound with affliction's chain,
 I walk at large, secure and free From sickness and from pain. Tune Eden. C. M. Or York.

3 'Tis Thou dost crown my hopes and plans
With good success each day:
This crown, together with myself,
At Thy blest feet I lay.

4 Oh let my house a temple be,

That I and mine may sing
Hosanna to Thy majesty,
And praise our heavenly King!
John Mason, 1683; John Hampden Gurney, 1851.



98 Ps. cxix. 65. "Thou hast dealt well with Thy servant."

OH how kindly hast Thou led me, Heavenly Father, day by day! Found my dwelling, clothed, and fed me, Furnished friends to cheer my way!

2 Didst Thou bless me, didst Thou chasten, With Thy smile, or with Thy rod, 'Twas that still my step might hasten Homeward, heavenward, to my God! Tune Sorek. 87, 87.

3 Oh how slowly have I often Followed where Thy hand would draw! How Thy kindness failed to soften! How Thy chastening failed to awe!

4 Make me for Thy rest more ready,
As Thy path is longer trod;
Keep me in Thy friendship steady,
Till Thou call me home, my God!
Thomas Grinfield, 1833.

99 Ps. xxxiv. 1. "I will bless the Lord at all times."

1 O LORD! I would delight in Thee, And on Thy care depend; To Thee in every trouble flee, My best-my only Friend!

2 When all created streams are dried, Thy fulness is the same;
May I with this be satisfied,
And glory in Thy name!

3 Why should the soul a drop bemoan, Who has a fountain near; A fountain which will ever run With water sweet and clear?

4 No good in creatures can be found. But may be found in Thee;

Ever gracious, ever wise! All my times are in Thy hand, All events at Thy command.

2 His decree who formed the earth.

Fixed my first and second birth;

Parents, native place, and time,

3 He that formed me in the womb,

He shall guide me to the tomb: All my times shall ever be

All appointed were by Him.

Ordered by His wise decree.

Or WINCHESTER. Tune Eden. C. M.

I must have all things, and abound, While God is God to me.

5 Oh that I had a stronger faith, To look within the veil;
To credit what my Saviour saith,
Whose word can never fail!

6 He that has made my heaven secure, Will here all good provide;
While Christ is rich, can I be poor?
What can I want beside?

7 O Lord! I cast my care on Thee, I triumph and adore: Henceforth my great concern shall be To love and please Thee more!

John Ryland, D.D., 1777.

[H. P. 149.]

VIENNA.



1001 SOVEREIGN Ruler of the skies,

Ps. xxxi. 15. "My times are in Thy hand."

Times of penury and wealth; Times of trial and of grief; Times of triumph and relief.

Times to taste a Saviour's love: All must come, and last, and end, As shall please my heavenly Friend.

6 Plagues and deaths around me fly; 9 Thee at all times will I bless; Till He bids, I cannot die; Having Thee I all possess: Till He bids, I cannot die ; Not a single shaft can hit, Till the God of love thinks fit.

Tune VIENNA. 77. 77.

4 Times of sickness, times of health; 7 O Thou Gracious, Wise, and Just, Times of penury and wealth; In Thy hands my life I trust! Have I somewhat dearer still? I resign it to Thy will.

5 Times the tempter's power to prove: 8 May I always own Thy hand-Still to the surrender stand; Know that Thou art God alone; I and mine are all Thine own.

> How can I bereaved be. Since I cannot part with Thee! John Ryland, D.D., 1777.

EUODIAS.

[H. P. 255.]



101 Tune EUODIAS. 84, 84, 8884. 1 THROUGH the love of God our

Saviour, All will be well: Free and changeless is His favour,

All, all is well! Preciousis the blood that healed us;

Perfect is the grace that sealed us; Strong the hand stretched out to All must be well! [shield us;

2 Though we pass through tribulation,
All will be well;
Ours is such a full salvation,
All, all is well!
Happy, still in God confiding;
Fruitrul, if in Christ abiding;
Holy, through the Spirit's guiding:
All must be well!

3 We expect a bright to-morrow,

All will be well;
Faith can sing through days of sorrow,
All, all is well!
On our Father's love relying,

Jesus every need supplying, Both in living and in dying, All must be well!

Mary Bowly, 1847.



[H. P. 220.1



102 John xiii. 7. "What I do thou knowest not now."

1 WE cannot always trace the way, Where Thou, our gracious Lord, dost move; But we can always surely say That Thou art Love.

2 When fear its gloomy cloud will fling O'er earth, our souls to heaven above As to their sanctuary spring; For Thou art Love, Tune JEZREEL. 88, 84. Or Hymn Chant SARDIS.

3 When mystery shrouds our darkened path, We'll check our dread, our doubts reprove; In this our soul sweet comfort hath, That Thou art Love.

4 Yes, Thou art Love—a truth like this Can every gloomy thought remove, And turn all tears or woes to bliss; Our God is Love!

Sir John Bowring, LL.D., 1824.



[H. P. 263.]



103 Ps. lxxvii. 19. "Thy footsteps are not known."

1 GOD moves in a mysterious way, His wonders to perform; He plants His footsteps in the sea, And rides upon the storm.

2 Deep in unfathomable mines Of never-failing skill, He treasures up His bright designs, And works His sovereign will.

3 Ye fearful saints, fresh courage take: The clouds ye so much dread Are big with mercy, and shall break In blessings on your head. Tune St. Peter. C. M. Or London New.

4 Judge not the Lord by feeble sense, But trust Him for His grace; Behind a frowning providence He hides a smiling face.

5 His purposes will ripen fast, Unfolding every hour; The bud may have a bitter taste, But sweet will be the flower.

6 Blind unbelief is sure to err,
And scan His work in vain:
God is His own interpreter,
And He will make it plain!

William Cowper, 1774.

Tune MAMRE. 88, 88, 88. Or MAON.
Deut. viii. 2. "Thou shalt remember all the way."

1 THUS far on life's perplexing path,
Thus far Thou, Lord, our steps hast led;
Snatched from the world's pursuing wrath,
Unharmed, though floods hung o'er our head;
Like ransomed Israel on the shore,
Here then we pause, look back, adore.

2 Strangers and pilgrims here below, Like all our fathers in their day, We to the land of promise go, Lord, by Thine own appointed way: Still guide, illumine, cheer our flight, In cloud by day, in fire by night.





3 When we have numbered all our years,
And stand at length on Jordan's brink,
Though the flesh fail with mortal fears,
Oh let not then the spirit sink;
But, strong in faith, and hope, and love,
Plunge through the stream to rise above!

James Montgomery, 1825.



105 John vi. 31. "He gave them bread from heaven."

- 1 DAY by day the manna fell; Oh! to learn this lesson well: Still by constant mercy fed, Give me, Lord, my daily bread.
- 2 Day by day, the promise reads: Daily strength for daily needs; Cast foreboding fears away; Take the manna of to-day.
- 3 Lord, my times are in Thy hand; All my sanguine hopes have planned To Thy wisdom I resign, And would make Thy purpose mine.

Tune VIENNA. 77, 77.

- 4 Thou my daily task shalt give: Day by day to Thee I live; So shall added years fulfil, Not my own—my Father's will.
- 5 Fond ambition, whisper not; Happy is my humble lot; Anxious, busy cares, away! I'm provided for to-day.
- 6 Oh! to live exempt from care
 By the energy of prayer;
 Strong in faith, with mind subdued,
 Yet elate with gratitude!

Josiah Conder, 1836.



106 Isa. iii. 10. "Say ye to the righteous, It shall be well."

Tune St. George. S. M. Or CYRENE.

- WHAT cheering words are these!
 Their sweetness who can tell?
 In time and to eternal days,
 'Tis with the righteous well.
- 2 Well, when they see His face, Or sink amidst the flood; Well, in affliction's thorny maze, Or on the mount with God.
- 3 'Tis well when joys arise,
 "Tis well when sorrows flow,
 "Tis well when darkness veils the skies,
 And strong temptations blow.

- 4 'Tis well when at His throne
 They wrestle, weep, and pray,
 'Tis well when at His feet they groan,
 Yet pray their wants away.
- 5 'Tis well when they can sing As sinners bought with blood, And when they touch the mournful string, And mourn an absent God.
- 6 'Tis well when on the mount They feast on dying love, And 'tis as well, in God's account, When they the furnace prove!

John Kent, 1903.

NOTTINGHAM; or, ST. MAGNUS.

[H. P. 39.]



- Ps. ciii. 1. "Bless the Lord, O my soul." Tune Nottingham. C. M.
 - 1 WHEN all Thy mercies, O my God. My rising soul surveys, Transported with the view, I'm lost In wonder, love, and praise!
 - 2 Oh how shall words, with equal warmth, The gratitude declare
 That glows within my ravished heart!
 But Thou canst read it there.
 - 3 To all my weak complaints and cries
 Thy mercy lent an ear,
 Ere yet my feeble thoughts had learnt To form themselves in prayer.
 - 4 When in the slippery paths of youth With heedless steps I ran, Thine arm unseen conveyed me safe, And led me up to man.

- 5 Through hidden dangers, toils, and deaths It gently cleared my way;

 And through the pleasing snares of vice,

 More to be feared than they.
- 6 When worn with sickness, oft hast Thou With health renewed my face; And when in sin and sorrow sunk. Revived my soul with grace.
- 7 Through every period of my life Thy goodness I'll pursue; And after death, in distant worlds, The glorious theme renew.
- 8 When nature fails, and day and night Divide Thy works no more, My ever grateful heart, O Lord! Thy mercy shall adore.
- Through all eternity to Theo
 A joyful song I'll raise;
 But oh! eternity is too short
 To utter all Thy praise!

 Joseph Addison, 1712. 9 Through all eternity to Thee

BASHAN (Hill of). [H. P. 112.]



108 Ps. cvii. 7. "He led them forth by the right way."

1 THY way, not mine, O Lord, However dark it be! Lead me by Thine own hand, Choose out the path for me.

- 2 Smooth let it be or rough, It will be still the best; Winding or straight, it leads Right onward to Thy rest.
- 3 I dare not choose my lot; I would not, if I might:

Choose Thou for me, my God, So shall I walk aright.

- 4 The kingdom that I seek Is Thine; so let the way That leads to it be Thine; Else I must surely stray.
- 5 Take Thou my cup, and it With joy or sorrow fill, As best to Thee may seem; Choose Thou my good and ill;

Tune Bashan. 66,66.

- 6 Choose Thou for me my friends, My sickness or my health; Choose Thou my cares for me, My poverty or wealth.
- 7 Not mine-not mine the choice, In things or great or small; Be Thou my Guide, my Strength, My Wisdom, and my All!

Horatius Bonar, D.D., 1856.

ST. DAVID. H. P. 60.7

109 1 Sam. iii. 18. "It is the Lord."

I IT is the Lord—enthroned in light— Whose claims are all Divine; Who hath an undisputed right To govern me and mine.

Tune St. DAVID. C. M.

2 It is the Lord. Should I distrust Or contradict His will, Who cannot do but what is just, And must be righteous still?

- 3 It is the Lord—who gives me all— My health my friends, my ease; And of His bounties may recall Whatever part He please.
- 4 It is the Lord—who can sustain Beneath the heaviest load: From Him assistance I obtain, To tread the thorny road.

- 5 It is the Lord—whose matchless skill Can from afflictions raise Blessings, eternity to fill With ever-growing praise.
- 6 It is the Lord—my covenant God, Thrice blessèd be His name, Whose gracious promise, sealed with blood, Must ever be the same.

Thomas Greene, 1780.

BETHABARA.

[H. P. 222.]



- 110 John xv. 4. "Abide in Me, and I in you."
 - 1 O HOLY Saviour, Friend unseen, Since on Thine arm Thou bidd'st us lean, Help us, throughout life's changing scene, By faith to cling to Thee.
 - 2 Blest with this fellowship Divine, Take what Thou wilt, we'll not repine; E'en as the branches to the vine, Our souls will cling to Thee.
 - 3 Without a murmur we dismiss Our former dreams of earthly bliss; Our joy, our consolation this, Each hour to cling to Thee.

- Tune Bethabara. 888, 6.
- 4 Though faith and hope may oft be tried, We ask not, need not, aught beside: So safe, so calm, so satisfied, The souls that cling to Thee!
- 5 They fear not Satan nor the grave, They know Thee near and strong to save, Nor dread to cross e'en Jordan's wave, Because they cling to Thee.
- 6 Blest be our lot, whate'er befall! What can disturb, or who appal, While as our Strength, our Rock, our All, Saviour, we cling to Thee?

Charlotte Elliott, 1834.

GOLDSTERN.

[H. P. 280.]



111 Ps. xlii. 5. "Why art thou cast down?"

1 WHY restless, why so weary,
My soul, why so cast down?
Is all around thee dreary?
And hath the cross no crown?
Where is the God that found thee,
Who once could make thee glad
His arms are still around thee;
Then where

Tune Goldstern. 76, 76. D.

Or MUNICH.

2 Oh, trust the Lord, who bought thee! Oh, trust the sinner's Friend! The wondrous love that sought thee Will keep thee to the end; "Twill give a glorious morrow To this thy night of pain, And make thy dews of sorrow Like sunshine after rain.

John S. B. Monsell, LL.D., 1837.



112 Ps. xxxiv. 1. "I will bless the Lord at all times."

1 THROUGH all the changing scenes of life, In trouble and in joy, The praises of my God shall still

My heart and tongue employ. 2 Of His deliverance I will boast,

Till all who are distrest From my example comfort take, And charm their griefs to rest.

3 The hosts of God encamp around The dwellings of the just; Protection He affords to all Who make His name their trust.

See Hymns 562, 583, 606, 663.

Tune BEDFORD. C. M.

4 Oh make but trial of His love! Experience will decide How blest are they, and only they, Who in His truth confide.

5 Fear Him, ye saints! and you will then Have nothing else to fear; Make you His service your delight—Your wants shall be His care.

6 While hungry lions lack their prey, The Lord will food provide For such as put their trust in Him, And see their needs supplied! Tate and Brady, 1696.

THEME IV .- The Dibine Persons of the Gber-Blessed Trinity.

JEHOVAH-THE FATHER.



(1) HIS OWN ESSENTIAL BLESSEDNESS.

113 Exod. iii. 14. "I am that I am."

ASPIRE, my soul, to yonder throne. A STREE, My Soul, to yonder throne,
Where sits the Infinite Unknown,
The self-existent One;
Whose being no beginning knows,
The brightness of whose glory flows
Through His beloved Son.

2 'Tis His to fill immensity;
No object can escape His eye.
Nor thought His mind elude;
All things were by His wisdom planned
All are supported by His hand; And all at once are viewed.

Tune Magdalene College. 886. D.

3 Justice and mercy, truth and love. Shine from His glorious throne above, As Israel's covenant Lord: In Persons three—in Essence one— He is the sovereign Lord alone, And be His name adored.

4 With Him is no futurity: He stands enwrapt in purity; Unchangeably the same:
God over all, for ever blessed.
The Fount of joy, the Fount of rest:
And holy is His name!

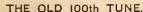
Joseph Irons, 1825. (a.)

114 Ps. xciii. 1. "The Lord reigneth."

JEHOVAH reigns! His throne is high;
His robes are light and majesty;
His glory shines with beams so bright, No mortal can sustain the sight.

Tune OLD HUNDREDTH. L. M. Or WALDECK.

2 His terrors keep the world in awe; His justice guards His holy law; His love reveals a smiling face: His truth and promise seal the grace.



[H. P. 1.]



ST. JOHN.

3 Through all His works His wisdom shines. And baffles Satan's deep designs; His power is sovereign to fulfil The noblest counsels of His will.

4 And will this glorious Lord descend To be my Father and my Friend? Then let my song with angels' join; Heaven is secure, if God be mine!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.

[H. P. 272.]

115 ¹ Tim. vi. 16. "Dwelling in the light which no man can approach unto."

Tune St. John. 6666, 88. Or GOPSAL; or MORIAH.

- O GLORIOUS God and King, O gracious Father, hear The praise our hearts would bring To Thee, who, ever near, Yet in eternity dost dwell, Immortal and invisible.
- Around Thee all is light, And rest of perfect love, And glory full and bright, All human thought above: Thyself the Fountain infinite Of all ineffable delight.
- 3 O depth of holy bliss, Essential and Divine, What thought can measure this— Thy joy, Thy glory,—Thine! Yet such our treasure evermore— Thy fulness is Thy children's store. See Hymn 46.

O Father, Thy great grace
We magnify and praise;
Called to that blessed place,
With Thee through endless days
Thy joy to share, Thy joy to be,
Thy glory all unveiled to see! Frances Ridley Havergal, 1872.

(2) HIS ETERNAL LOVE TO HIS BELOVED SON.

116 Tune CRUGER. 76, 76. D. Or MAHANAIM.

Prov. viii. 30. "I was daily His delight."

1 " ERE God had built the mountains, Or raised the fruitful hills:

Before He filled the fountains, That feed the running rills: In Me, from everlasting,

The wonderful I AM Found pleasures never wasting, And Wisdom is My name.

2 "When, like a tent to dwell in, He spread the skies abroad And swathed about the swelling Of ocean's mighty flood, He wrought by weight and

measure;
And I was with Him then:
Myself the Father's pleasure, And Mine the sons of men.



3 Thus Wisdom's words discover Thy glory and Thy grace, Thou everlasting Lover Of our unworthy race! Thy gracious eye surveyed us

Ere stars were seen above: In wisdom Thou hast made us, And died for us in love.

4 And couldst Thou be delighted With creatures such as we, Who, when we saw Thee, slighted, And nailed Thee to a tree? Unfathomable wonder, And mystery Divine!

The voice that speaks in thunder, Says, "Sinner, I am thine!"

William Cowper, 1779.



(3) THE CHOICE AND GIFT OF THE CHURCH, BY THE FATHER, TO HIS SON.

117 Jer. XXXI. 3. "Yea, I have loved thee."
Tune LEIPSIC. L. M.

1 'TWAS with an everlasting love That God His own elect embraced, Before He made the worlds above, Or earth on her huge columns placed,

2 Long ere the sun's refulgent ray Primeval shades of darkness drove, They on His sacred bosom lay, Loved with an everlasting love.

3 Then, in the glass of His decrees, Christ and His bride appeared as one: Her sin, by imputation, His, Whilst she in spotless splendour shone.

4 O love, how high thy glories swell, How great, immutable, and free! Ten thousand sins, as black as hell, Are swallowed up, O love, in thee!

5 Believer, here thy comfort stands, From first to last salvation's free; And everlasting love demands An everlasting song from thee!

John Kent, 1803.

118 Eph. i. 4. "Chosen in Him before the foundation of the world."

Tune LEIPSIC. L. M.

1 WHO can the distant period trace, When God, to glorify His grace, And magnify His love to man, Drew forth redemntion's wondrous plan

Drew forth redemption's wondrous plan?

2 God's own Elect, was Christ proclaimed,
Then all His mystic members named,
One glorious Head, one body there,
Who should at last one glory share.

3 In God's decree her form He viewed, All beauteous in His eyes she stood, Presented through the eternal name, Betrothed in love, and free from blame.

4 Not as she stood, in Adam's fall, When guilt and ruin covered all, But as she'll stand another day, Fair as the sun's meridian ray.

5 O glorious grace! mysterious plan, Too great for angels' mind to scan; Our thoughts are lost, our numbers fail; All hail, redeeming love! all hail!

John Kent, 1823.



119 1 Pet. i. 2. "Elect according to the foreknowledge of God."

1 BEFORE the' Almighty Power began To form the wondrous frame of man; Before He hung the lights on high, And made them sparkle o'er the sky; Before He gave the mountains birth, Or shaped the yet unfounded earth, God all His ransomed people knew, And in His love He chose them too.

2 Chose them in Christ that they should prove The trophies of His dying love; Chose them through faith, that precious grace Which bears the fruits of righteousness; Chose them that they on earth should shine The image of His face Divine; Chose them, like jewels, from the world, When it should be to ruin hurled.

Tune ALPHA.

3 But, oh, no tongue can ever tell
The grace that is unsearchable!
Angels that fell were passèd by
When Christ for mortals came to die.
The poor shall wear the immortal crown
That docks few brows of high renown;
And vilest sinners be forgiven,
To raise the loudest songs in heaven!

See Hymns 398-492.

Ingram Cobbin, 1828.

L. M. D.



(4) THE PROMISE BY THE FATHER, OF THE HOLY GHOST, THROUGH THE SON.

120 Ps. lxxxvii. 7. "All my springs are in Thee." Tune Persis. 87, 87.

1 HEAR the Father's ancient promise!

Listen, thirsty, weary one!

"I will pour My Holy Spirit
On Thy chosen seed, O Son."

Promise to the Lord's Anointed,
Gift of God to Him for thee!

Now, by covenant appointed,
All thy springs in Him shall be.

2 Springs of life in desert places
Shall thy God unseal for thee;
Quickening and reviving graces,
Dew-like, healing, sweet and free.
Springs of sweet refreshment flowing,
When thy work is hard or long.
Courage, hope, and power bestowing,
Lightening labour with a song.

3 Springs of peace, when conflict heightens, Thine uplifted eye shall see; Peace that strengthens, calms, and brightens, Peace, itself a victory. Springs of comfort, strangely springing

Springs of comfort, strangely springing
Through the bitter wells of woe;
Founts of hidden gladness, bringing
Joy that earth can ne'er bestow.

4 Thine, O Christian, is this treasure,

To thy risen Head assured!

Thine in full and gracious measure,
Thine by covenant secured!

Now arise! His word possessing,
Claim the promise of the Lord;
Plead through Christ for showers of blessing,

Till the Spirit be outpoured!
Frances Ridley Havergal, 1870.

121 (5) GOD IS LOVE.
Rom. v. 8. "God commendeth
His love toward us."
Tune KEDRON. 886 D

Tune KEDRON. 886. D.

SUPREMELY sweet is sovereign love,
That brought the Saviour from above,

To agonize and die; Its aim in Jesus was to bless His children with His righteousness; 'Tis finished, hear Him cry!

2 The love of God is firm and sure, In Christ it made us so secure, That hell may rage in vain; Love keeps us ever one with Him, And brought Him fully to redeem,

That we might rise and reign.

3 Jehovah's love shall brightly shine

Upon us, richly to refine,
Through Jesu's bleeding cross;
In Christ we ever must remain,
And here possess eternal gain,
By His amazing loss.

KEDRON (Brook). [H. P. 213.]

4 This love shall make us ever blest, And guide us to the realms of rest, Where Jesus reigns on high;

In this great love we place our trust, And in its praises sing we must At last above the sky! Thomas Row, 1817.

YORK.

[H. P. 45.]



122 Eph. i. 3. "Blessed with all spiritual blessings . . in Christ."

Tune York. C. M.

1 SING to the Lord, whose matchless love A sure foundation lays, To take a people to Himself,

And form them for His praise.

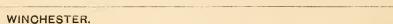
2 In grateful strains His counsel sing,
For thus His counsel runs:

For thus His counsel runs;
To choose, adopt, redeem, and bring
To glory all His sons.

3 Let sweet adoption lead the song, Election swell the strain, While promises the theme prolong, And joys celestial reign.

4 'Tis yours who know His mighty love, To sing on themes like these; When He the heartfelt joy imparts, No other subjects please.

5 His ways how wonderful to trace,
By which His love is shown
To sinners, saved by richest grace,
Who worship at His throne!
William Wales Horne, 1823.





123 Hos. xiv. 4. "I will love them freely."

WHAT boundless and unchanging love God has bestowed on saints; Tis this shall tune their harps above, And banish their complaints.

2 Love placed their souls in Jesu's hand, Who rescued them from hell: By His unchanging love they stand, And with Him hope to dwell. Tune Winchester. C. M.

Or NOTTINGHAM.

Joseph Irons, 1819.

3 'Twas love that brought them to His feet, And melted every heart: His love shall make their bliss complete, And ne'er from them depart.

4 The drawings of His love shall bring
Their souls up to His throne:
Of His eternal love to sing,
With rapture here unknown!

WALDECK.

[H. P. 4.]



124 1 John iii. 1. "Behold what manner of love."

1 JEHOVAH'S love first chose His saints; Love listens now to their complaints; Love paid their debt incurred by sin; Love breaks their hearts, and enters in.

2 Thus Father, Son, and Holy Dove, The Three in One, a God of Love, Engaged in covenant for our sake: This threefold cord can never break. Tune WALDECK. L. M. Or OLD TEN COMMANDMENTS.

3 'Tis held in God our Saviour's hand; Suspended by His own command, It reaches to the gates of hell, And rescues souls, with Him to dwell.

4 Nor sin nor Satan can devour The soul that feels its vital power; It will not, cannot, lose its hold. Eternal joys it will unfold!

Joseph Irons, 1819.

125 John xvii. 23. "Thou hast loved them as Thou hast loved Me."

WHO can e'er fathom God's rich love?
Not all the heavenly hosts above;
The brightest angel ne'er can trace
The end of great Jehovah's grace.

2 None can e'er know its vast extent,— No, not the most exalted saint; Its length, its breadth, its depth, its height, Is far beyond a creature's sight.

3 How rich, how free, is love Divine! Oh, how resplendent doth it shine! Its bursting glory charms the saints, And banishes their sad complaints. e." Tune WALDECK. L. M.

4 The highest pleasures we can prove Flow from this great and glorious love; Oh, 'tis a most delightful thing, Infinite love to chant and sing.

5 Dear Lord! descend from Thy bright throne, And now to us Thy love make known; To every soul Thyself proclaim, And let us feel the heavenly flame.

6 God of all grace, to Thee we pray; More of Thy love, and more, display; And when we join the heavenly throng. Infinite love shall be our song!

Richard Burnham, 1803.



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Rom. v. 5. "The love of God,"

1 HOW truly glorious is the love Of all the glorious Three,— Eternal, boundless, sovereign, pure, Unchangeable, and free! Tune Eden. C. M.

2 The Father's love sent Jesus down From His own bright abode; The Saviour, in His wondrous love, His life for ours bestowed. 3 Drawn by the Spirit's love, we rise, And breathe for things above, More swift than eagles' rapid flight, To see eternal love.

4 We pray, repent, believe, obey, And joy with those above; Admire, adore, and shout, and sing Of everlasting love.

5 Soon may we soar to worlds of light— On hills of glory shine; And sing of pure eternal love, In raptures all Divine! Richard Burnham, 1803. (a.)—ver. 2, F. R. H.



127 1 John iv. 16. "God is love."
Tune MORIAH. 6666, 88.
Or BEVAN.
LOVE will I ever sing—
Sing of its ancient date;

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Sing of its ancient date;
Love is the flowing spring
Of blessings truly great:
Love is the pure immortal food;
Love is the height and depth of God.

Love is my comely dress,
My glory and my crown,
My life, my joy, my peace,
My heaven, and my throne:
Love is the pure immortal food;
Love is the height and depth of God.

Lord, may I soon be caught
Up to the realms above,
And there be better taught
The glories of Thy love,
And feast on this immortal food,
And triumph in the love of God!
Richard Burnham, 1796.



(1) HIS DEITY.

128 John i. 1. "In the beginning was the Word."

1 HAIL, Thou eternal Logos, hail!
Before whose glory angels veil
Their rapture-beaming eyes:
Our grateful spirits hold Thee dear;
To Thee we breathe the ardent prayer,
And hallelujahs rise.

2 Yes: while incessant shouts of praise Break from angelic ranks, and raise The concert of the blessed; While all that tread the starry road Announce the dear Redeemer God, Be it on earth confessed.

3 Being of beings! Lord of all!
While yonder lucid orbs that roll
Declare the great I AM,

Tune JORDAN. 886. D.

We recollect the holy word, Where all the names and works of God Are given to the Lamb.

4 Thy works, Thy wondrous works, display
The attributes of Deity,
And spell the sacred name;
Jehovah! Jesus! reigning Cause!
Yes, at Thy mighty flat rose
This universal frame.

5 Redeeming Lord, to Thee we bow:
Bless Thy rejoicing people now
With wisdom from above;
Come, with Thy vesture dipped in blood;
Appear a very present God,—
A God of perfect love!

Admiral Richard Kempenfelt, 1777.

CHESALON (Mount).

[H. P. 35.]



Matt. xxi. 9. "Hosanna in the highest."

1 HOSANNA! raise the pealing hymn To David's Son and Lord; With cherubin and seraphim Exalt the Incarnate Word.

- 2 Hosanna! Lord, our feeble tongue No lofty strains can raise:
 But Thou wilt not despise the young,
 Who meekly chant Thy praise.
- 3 Hosanna! Sovereign, Prophet, Priest; How vast Thy gifts, how free! Thy blood, our life; Thy word, our feast; Thy name, our only plea.

Tune CHESALON. C. M.

- 4 Hosanna! Master, lo we bring Our offerings to Thy throne; Nor gold, nor myrrh, nor mortal thing, But hearts to be Thine own.
- 5 Hosanna! once Thy gracious ear Approved a lisping throng: Be gracious still, and deign to hear Our poor but grateful song.
- 6 O Saviour, if, redeemed by Thee,
 Thy temple we behold, Hosannas through eternity We'll sing to harps of gold! William Henry Havergal, 1833.

ESDRAELON. [H. P. 202.]

130 Matt. iii. 17. "This is My beloved Son."

1 LAMB of God! our souls adore Thee There the Father's love and glory
Shine in all their brightest rays. Thine almighty power and wisdom All creation's works proclaim: Heaven and earth alike confess Thee, As the ever-great "I AM."

2 Lamb of God! Thy Father's bosom Lamb of God! Thy Father's bosom
Ever was Thy dwelling-place;
His delight, in Him rejoicing,
One with Him in power and grace.
Oh, what wondrous love and mercy!
Thou didst lay Thy glory by,
And for us didst come from heaven
As the Lamb of God to die.

87, 87. D. Tune ESDRAELON.

- 3 Lamb of God! when we behold Thee Lowly in the manger laid; Wandering as a homeless stranger,
 In the world Thy hands had made;
 When we see Thee in the garden
 In Thine agony of blood— At Thy grace we are confounded, Holy, spotless Lamb of God!
- 4 When we see Thee as a victim, Bound to the accursed tree, For our guilt and folly stricken All our judgment borne by Thee, Lord, we own, with hearts adoring, Thou hast loved us unto blood; Glory, glory everlasting, Be to Thee, Thou Lamb of God!

James George Deck, 1838.

131 Col. i. 16. "By Him were all things created that are in heaven, and that are in earth." Tune OLD HUNDREDTH. L. M.

1 WHAT is that grand, that awful name,
Whose blazing glories round us shinc?
Who can His mighty works rehearse,
Who spake and built the universe?

- 2 Not Gabriel's tongue His fame can tell, His ways are quite unsearchable!
- Such are the beauties of His face, None can His full perfection trace.
- 3 His presence fills both space and time; His knowledge reaches every clime; His wisdom guards and guides the whole, From nature's centre to the pole.



- 4 Know you, ye saints, this wondrous name, Whose glories heaven and earth proclaim? Who? what is He? Oh, strange to tell, "Tis our beloved Immanuel!
- 5 This Great First, Last, Beginning, End, No stretch of thought can comprehend; In wonder lost, will we adore That name which angels can't explore! Augustus M. Toplady, 1776.

Isa. lxiii. 1. "Mighty to save."
Tune Filitz. 777, 5. Or Shenir I.

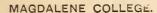
- 1 LORD of mercy and of might, Maker, Teacher, Infinite, Of mankind the life and light, Jesus, hear and save.
- 2 Who, when sin's tremendous doom Gave creation to the tomb, Didst not scorn the Virgin's womb, Jesus, hear and save.
- 3 Mighty Monarch, Saviour mild, Humbled to a mortal child, Captive, beaten, bound, reviled, Jesus, hear and save.
- 4 Throned above celestial things, Borne aloft on angels' wings. Lord of lords, and King of kings, Jesus, hear and save.
- 5 Who shall yet return from high, Robed in might and majesty, Hear us, help us when we cry; Jesus, hear and save. Bishop Heber, 1811.

FILITZ.

[H. P. 283.]







[H. P. 210.]





133 Ps. cxlv. 10. "Thy saints shall bless Thee."

1 DRAW near, ye saints, with sweetest praise,
Melodious notes, and rapturous lays;
In adoration join:

In adoration join:
Before His throne, beneath His feet,
In whom salvation's wonders meet,
And blessings all combine!

2 To Christ our light, our life, and praise,
 Eternal strength and righteousness,
 Adoring homage pay:
 He calls for loudest praise from us,
 Who died and saved us from the curse,
 And bore our sins away!

Tune Magdalene College. 886. D.

3 Lo! God with us, what glories shine!
Here all the attributes Divine
Refulgently unite;
The glories of His truth and grace,
His justice and His holiness.

Angelic praise excite!

4 Since they in ecstasies above
Adore the grace, the wondrous love,
Of our Incarnate God;
What ardent praises shall we bring,
Who louder far than angels sing,

For we are bought with blood!
William Wales Horne, 1823.

134 Rev. v. 12. "Worthy is the Lamb."

Tune Moscow. 664, 6664.

1 GLORY to God on high!
Let earth and skies reply,
Praise ye His name!
His love and grace adore,
Who all our sorrows bore;
Sing aloud evermore,
Worthy the Lamb!

2 Jesus, our Lord and God,
Bore sin's tremendous load,
Praise ye His name.
Tell what His arm hath done,
What spoils from death He won;
Sing His great name alone;
Worthy the Lamb!

While they around the throne Cheerfully join in one, Praising His name:
Ye, who have felt His blood, Sealing your peace with God, Sound His dear fame abroad;
Worthy the Lamb!

4 Join all ye ransomed race, Our holy Lord to bless, Praise ye His name: In Him we will rejoice, And make a joyful noise, Shouting with heart and voice, Worthy the Lamb!



5 What though we change our place,
Yet we shall never cease
Praising His name:
To Him our songs we bring,
Hail Him our gracious King,
And without ceasing sing,
Worthy the Lamb!

6 Then let the host above, In realms of endless love, Praise His dear name: To Him ascribed be Honour and majesty, Through all eternity; Worthy the Lamb!

James Allen, 1761. (a.)

MAGDEBURG.
[H. P. 300.]

135 Luke ii. 14. "Glory to God in the highest."

1 MIGHTY God! while angels bless Thee,
May an infant lisp Thy name!
Lord of men, as well as angels,
Thou art every creature's theme:
Hallelujah, Hallelujah. Hallelujah, Amen.

2 Lord of every land and nation, Ancient of eternal days! Sounded through the wide creation Be Thy just and lawful praise; Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Amen.

3 For the grandeur of Thy nature, Grand beyond a seraph's thought: For created works of power, Works with skill and kindness wrought: Hallelujah, Hallelujah. Hallelujah, Amen.

4 For Thy providence, that governs
Through Thine empire's wide domain;
Wings an angel, guides a sparrow;
Blessèd be Thy gentle reign:
Hallelujah, Hallelujah. Hallelujah, Amen.

5 But Thy rich, Thy free redemption, Dark through brightness all along! Thought is poor, and poor expression: Who dare sing that awful song? Hallelujah, Hallelujah. Hallelujah, Amen. Tune MAGDEBURG.

Or ZAANAIM.

PART II.

6 Brightness of the Father's glory, Shall Thy praise unuttered lie? Fly, my tongue, such guilty silence! Sing the Lord who came to die: Hallelujah, Hallelujah. Hallelujah, Amen.

7 Did archangels sing Thy coming? Did the shepherds learn their lays? Shame would cover me ungrateful, Should my tongue refuse to praise: Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Amen.

8 From the highest throne in glory, To the cross of deepest woe; All to ransom guilty captives: Flow, my praise, for ever flow: Hallelujah, Hallelujah. Hallelujah, Amen.

9 Go, return, immortal Saviour; Leave Thy footstool, take Thy throne; Thence return, and reign for ever, Be the kingdom all Thy own: Hallelujah, Hallelujah. Hallelujah, Amen.

Robert Robinson, 1774.



136 Ps. lxxii. 19. "Blessed be His glorious name for ever."

1 LONG as I live I'll sing the Lamb,
The God, the Man, the Great I AM.
His wondrous person view!
As God He loves—as Man He dies,
As God and Man all grace supplies,
And gives all glory too.

2 He is my Glory, He my Head, The First-begotten from the dead, All glory now He wears; He, who was first of human kind, Retains me ever in His mind, Witness the name He bears.

3 His cries and tears are now all o'er, Once dead, He lives, and bleeds no more; My soul hath seen Him rise

See Hymns 195, 199, 200, 202, 493.

Tune Magdalene College. 886. D.

In faith's bright vision to His rest: Conqueror of sin, He now is raised Again above the skies.

4 One work remains for Christ to do,
To bring His chosen people through
The terrors of the grave:
Then He'll appear both God and Man,
The Head and End of wisdom's plan,
And mighty, too, to save.

5 And when this last great work is done, And all His saints are upwards gone To their eternal home; The reigning Lamb will feast their eyes With love's triumphant victories: Amen! Lord Jesus, come!

John Stevens, 1808.

(2) THE NAMES AND TITLES OF CHRIST.



137 Phil. ii. 9. "A name which is above every name."

1 THERE is a Name I love to hear; I love to sing its worth; It sounds like music in mine ear, The sweetest name on earth.

2 It tells me of a Saviour's love, Who died to set me free; It tells me of His precious blood, The sinner's perfect plea.

3 It tells me of a Father's smile Beaming upon His child: It cheers me through this little while, Through desert, waste, and wild. Tune BESOR. C. M. Or EVAN.

4 Jesus, the name I love so well, The name I love to hear: No saint on earth its worth can tell, No heart conceive how dear.

5 This name shall shed its fragrance still, Along this thorny road, Shall sweetly smooth the rugged hill, That leads me up to God.

6 And there with all the blood-bought throng, From sin and sorrow free, I'll sing the new eternal song Of Jesus' love to me!

Frederick Whitfield, 1857.



138 1 John ii. 1. "We have an Advocate."

1 LOOK up, my soul, with cheerful eye, See where the great Redeemer stands; The glorious Advocate on high, With precious incense in His hands.

2 He sweetens every humble groan, He recommends each broken prayer; Tune CYPRUS. L. M.

Recline thy hope on Him alone, Whose power and love forbid despair.

3 Teach my weak heart, O gracious Lord, With stronger faith to call Thee mine; Bid me pronounce the blissful word, My Father, God, with joy Divine! Anne Steele, 1760.



139 Heb. ix. 24. "Now to appear in the presence of God for us."

Tune AMANA.

AWAKE, my warmest powers, To sing the Saviour's love; Since He appears upon the throne, Our Advocate above.

2 His all-obedient life Fulfilled the Father's laws;
This is the ground on which He lives
To plead His people's cause.

3 Their names upon His breast Before the throne He bears; And our unworthy nature now This glorious Person wears.

4 His all-atoning death, And sacrifice Divine, Prevails to send salvation down To such a soul as mine.

5 To all that venture near, In His eternal name, His power to save, and sanctify. Shall ever prove the same.

6 With such a glorious plea, He never prayed in vain;
The Father hears, and Christ receives
The purchase of His pain.

Thomas Row, 1822.



140 John xvii. 9. "I pray for them."

AWAKE! sweet gratitude, and sing The' ascended Saviour's love; Sing how He lives to carry on His people's cause above.

2 With cries and tears He offered up His humble suit below: But with authority He asks, Enthroned in glory now.

3 For all that come to God by Him, Salvation He demands:

Points to their names upon His breast, And spreads His wounded hands.

Tune NAYLAND. C. M.

4 His sweet atoning sacrifice Gives sanction to His claim:
"Father, I will that all My saints
Be with Me where I am:

5 "By their salvation, recompense The sorrows I endured;
Just to the merits of Thy Son,
And faithful to Thy word."

6 Eternal life, at His request,
To every saint is given:
Safety below, and, after death,
The plenitude of heaven.

Augustus M. Toplady, 1771.

LAODICEA. (HYMN CHANT.)

[H. P. No. VIII.]



ALL IN ALL.

141 Col. ii. 9. "In Him dwelleth all the fulness."

1 I NEED no other plea

With which to approach my God,
Than His own mercy, boundless, free,
Through Christ on man bestowed,
A Father's love, a Father's care
Receives and answers every prayer.

2 I need no other priest Than One High Priest above; His intercession ne'er has ceased Since first I knew His love: Through that my faith shall never fail, E'en when I pass through death's dark vale.

3 I need no human ear
In which to pour my prayer;
My great High Priest is ever near,
On Him I cast my care:
To Him, Him only, I confess,
Who can alone absolve and bless.

4 I need no works by me
Wrought with laborious care,
To form a meritorious plea
The bliss of heaven to share:
Christ's finished work, through boundless grace,
Has there secured my dwelling-place!

PART II.

5 I need no prayers to saints, Beads, relics, martyrs' shrines; Tune, Hymn Chant Laodicea. 66, 86, 88.

Hardships 'neath which the spirit faints, Yet still, sore burdened, pines: Christ's service yields my soul delight, Easy His yoke, His burden light.

6 I need no other book
To guide my steps to heaven,
Than that on which I daily look,
By God's own Spirit given;
For this, when He illumes our eyes,
Unto salvation makes us wise.

7 I need no holy oil
To' anoint my lips in death;
No priestly power my guilt to' assoil,
And ease my parting breath;
Long since, those words bade fear to cease,
"Thy faith hath saved thee; go in peace."

8 I need no priestly mass, No purgatorial fires, My soul to' anneal, my guilt to' efface, When this brief life expires, Christ died my endless life to win, His blood has cleansed me from all sin.

9 I need no other dress, I urge no other claim, Than His imputed righteousness; In Him complete I am. Heaven's portals at that word fly wide, No passport do I need beside!

Charlotte Elliott, 1863.

ALL IN ALL.

142 Col. iii. 11. "Christ is all, and in all."

Tune MINDEN. 76, 76, 77.

1 JESUS, Sun and Shield art Thou, Sun and Shield for ever! Never canst Thou cease to shine, Cease to guard us never. Cheer our steps as on we go, Come between us and the foe.

2 Jesus, Bread and Wine art Thou, Wine and Bread for ever! Never canst Thou cease to feed Or refresh us, never. Feed we still on bread Divine, Drink we still this heavenly wine.

> 3 Jesus, Love and Life art Thou, Life and Love for ever! Ne'er to quicken shalt Thou cease, Or to love us never. All of life and love we need Is in Thee, in Thee indeed.

4 Jesus, Peace and Joy art Thou, Joy and Peace for ever! Joy that fades not, changes not, Peace that leaves us never.



Joy and peace we have in Thee, Now and through eternity.

5 Jesus, Song and Strength art Thou, Strength and Song for ever! Strength that never can decay, Song that ceaseth never. Still to us this strength and song Through eternal days prolong!

Horatius Bonar, D.D., 1861.



143 Rev. xix. 12. "On His head were many crowns."

1 SAVIOUR, I read with grateful joys
The names Thy holy word employs
To charm my heart and calm my fears,
To show Thy lovely characters.

2 Water of life; of life the Tree; The Bread of life art Thou to me! The Light of life, the Living Way, The Sun of everlasting day!

Tune GILBOA. L. M. Or DALMATIA.

3 The Rock of strength, the Corner stone, The Branch of God, Plant of renown, The Morning Star, the precious Pearl, The "Chiefest," and "the All in All!"

4 Prophet, and Priest, and Prince, and King, And First, and Last, Thy praise we sing: Through life we'll bless Thee, and, again, Ceaseless, in heaven! Amen, Amen!

Benjamin Samuel Hollis, 1849.

144 Col. ii. 10. "Ye are complete in Him.

1 IN Christ, I've all my soul's desire; His Spirit does my heart inspire With boundless wishes large and high, And Christ will all my wants supply.

2 Christ is my Hope, my Strength, and Guide; For me He bled, and groaned, and died: He is my Sun, to give me light; He is my soul's supreme delight.

3 Christ is the source of all my bliss, My Wisdom and my Righteousness;

ALL IN ALL.

Tune GILBOA. L. M.

My Saviour, Brother, and my Friend, On Him alone I now depend.

4 Christ is my King, to rule and bless, And all my troubles to redress; He's my salvation and my all, Whate'er on earth shall me befal.

5 Christ is my strength and portion too; My soul in Him can all things do; Through Him I triumph o'er the grave, And Satan, death, and hell outbrave!
W. G., 1790; and John Dobell, 1866.

NAYLAND; or, ST. STEPHEN. [H. P. 47.] ALL IN ALL.

Tune NAYLAND. Ps. lxxiii. 25. "There is none upon earth that I desire beside Thee."

1 COMPARED with Christ, in all beside No comeliness I see; The one thing needful, dearest Lord, Is to be one with Thee.

2 The sweetness of Thy dying love Into my soul convey;
Thyself bestow; for Thee alone,
My All in All, I pray. See Hymn 489.

3 Less than Thyself will not suffice My comfort to restore; More than Thyself I cannot crave,

Nor canst Thou give me more. 4 Loved of my God, for Him again With love intense I burn; Chosen of Thee, ere time began, I choose Thee in return.

5 Whate'er consists not with Thy will, Oh teach me to resign;
I'm rich to all the intents of bliss,
Since Thou, O God, art mine!

Augustus M. Toplady, 1772.

ALPHA AND OMEGA.

146 Rev. i. 11. "I am Alpha and Omega."

1 JESUS is our God and Saviour, Guide, and Counsellor, and Friend, Bearing all our misbehaviour, Kind and loving to the end.
Trust Him; He will not deceive us,
Though we hardly of Him deem:
He will never, never leave us,
Nor will let us quite leave Him.

2 View Him in the doleful garden; View Him on the bloody tree, Dearly purchasing a pardon For His people, full and free.

Tune ESDRAELON. 87, 87. D.

View Him now in heaven sitting, Interceding for us there; Not a moment intermitting His compassion and His care. 3 Nothing but Thy blood, O Jesus, Can relieve us from our smart; Nothing else from guilt release us;

Nothing else can melt the heart.
Law and terrors do but harden,
All the while they work alone;
But a sense of blood-bought pardon Soon dissolves a heart of stone.



Jehovah's pledge to sinful men, Confirming all His word; No promises are doubtful then. For all are yea and all amen,

In Jesus Christ our Lord.

Chorus.—Secured in this, the church on high,
And all below, unceasing cry Amen! Amen! Amen

To Thee, O Lord, all praise is given.—
The loud response of earth and heaven:
All hail, Thou great Amen.

2 Sweet ordinance of God to bless, By Him, the Lord our Righteousness,—
By Him, I say again:
This mighty Word makes all things sure,
Through life, in death, and evermore,
In Him, the great Amen. Chorus.

3 O faithful Witness of our God Who came by water and by blood, Proving the Holy One:

PART II.

4 Sweetly Thy Verilys we hear,
For God's Amen dispels all fear,
Thy faithfulness it proves;
And while such grace from God is shown,
To God's Amen we add our own,
Our So-be-it God loves.

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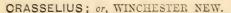
5 Ye saints of God, in age or youth, Who swear by Him, the God of truth, By Him, I say again; Make Him whom God hath made to you,

Your Alpha and Omega too, God's Christ is your Amen. Chorus.

6 Nor less above, ye heavenly host,
To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
Give praise, through Him with men;
For of Him, through Him, by Him, sure
The church shall glory evermore
In Him, the great Amen.

Robert Hawker, D.D., 1831.

Chorus.



[H. P. 3.]



BREAKER.

148 Mic. ii. 13. "The Breaker is come up before them,"

Tune Crasselius. L. M. Or OLD HUNDREDTH.

- 1 SING the dear Saviour's glorious fame,
 Who bears the Breaker's wondrous name:
 Sweet name, and it becomes Him well.
 Who breaks down sin, guilt, death, and hell.
- 2 A mighty Breaker surely He, Who broke my chains, and set me free; A gracious Breaker to my soul; He breaks, and oh! He makes me whole.
- 3 He breaks through every gloomy cloud, Which can my soul with darkness shroud: He breaks the bars of every snare, Which hellish foes for me prepare.
- 4 He breaks the gates of hardened brass, To bring His faithful word to pass; And though with ponderous iron barred, The Breaker's love they can't retard.
- 5 Great Breaker, oh! Thy love impart, Daily, to break my stony heart; Oh, break it. Lord, and enter in, And break, oh break, the power of sin! Samuel Medley, 1789.



149 Heb. ii. 10. "The Captain of their salvation."

1 STAND up! stand up for Jesus!
Ye soldiers of the cross;
Lift high His royal banner,
It must not suffer loss;
From victory unto victory
His army shall be led.
Till every foe is vanquished.
And Christ is Lord indeed.

2 Stand up! stand up for Jesus!
The trumpet call obey:
Forth to the mighty conflict
In this His glorious day:
Ye that are men, now serve Him,
Against unnumbered foes:
Let courage rise with danger,
And strength to strength oppose.

See Hymn 432.

Tune Zoan I. 76, 76. D.

3 Stand up! stand up for Jesus!
Stand in His strength alone;
The arm of flesh will fail you—
Ye dare not trust your own:
Put on the gospel armour.
And, watching unto prayer,
Where duty calls, or danger,
Be never wanting there.

4 Stand up! stand up for Jesus!
The strife will not be long:
This day the noise of battle,
The next the victor's song:
To him that overcometh
A crown of life shall be,
He with the King of glory
Shall reign eternally.

George Duffield, 1858.

CONSOLATION.

150 Luke ii. 25. "The consolation of Israel."

COME. Thou long-expected Jesus, Born to set Thy people free: From our fears and sins release us, Let us find our rest in Thee: Tune FRANKFORT. 87, 87.

2 Israel's strength and consolation, Hope of all the saints Thou art; Dear desire of every nation, Joy of every longing heart.



3 Born Thy people to deliver; Born a child, and yet a King; Born to reign in us for ever, Now Thy gracious kingdom bring; 4 By Thine own eternal Spirit,
Rule in all our hearts alone:
By Thine all-sufficient merit,
Raise us to Thy glorious throne!

Charles Weelev. 1714.

PATMOS.

[H. P. 147.]



EMMANUEL.

151 Matt. i. 23. "Emmanuel . . . God with us."

1 SWEETER sounds than music knows Charm me in Emmanuel's name:
All her hopes my spirit owes
To His birth, and cross, and shame.

2 When He came, the angels sung
"Glory be to God on high!"
Lord, unloose my stammering tongue;
Who should louder sing than I?

3 Did the Lord a man become That He might the law fulfil, Tune Parmos. 77, 77.

Bleed and suffer in my room, And canst thou, my tongue, be still?

4 No: I must my praises bring, Though they worthless are and weak; For should I refuse to sing, Sure the very stones would speak.

5 O my Saviour, Shield, and Sun, Shepherd, Brother, Husband, Friend— Every precious name in One! I will love Thee without end!

John Newton, 1779.

CHURCH TRIUMPHANT.

[H. P. 258.]



FORERUNNER.

152 Heb. vi. 20. "The Forerunner is for us entered." Tune Church Triumphant. L.M. Or Crasselius.

1 FAR, far beyond these lower skies, Up to the glories all His own; Where we, by faith, lift up our eyes, There Jesus, our Forerunner, s gone.

2 High on His throne of heavenly light, Eternal glory He sustains; While saints and angels bless the sight: There Jesus, our Forerunner, reigns. 3 He lives salvation to impart
From sin and Satan's cursèd wiles;
With love eternal in His heart:
There Jesus, our Forerunner, smiles.

4 Before His heavenly Father's face, For every saint He intercedes; And with infallible success, There Jesus, our Forerunner, pleads.

5 But, oh, 'tis this completes the whole, And all its bliss and glory proves, That while eternal ages roll, There Jesus, our Forerunner, loves!

Samuel Medley, 1789.



FRIEND.

153 Prov. xviii. 24. "There is a friend that sticketh closer than a brother." Tune Succorn. 87, 87, 77.

- ONE there is above all others, Well deserves the name of Friend; His is love beyond a brother's, Costly, free, and knows no end:
 They who once His kindness prove Find it everlasting love.
- 2 Which of all our friends, to save us, Could or would have shed his blood? But our Jesus died to have us Reconciled in Him to God: This was boundless love indeed! Jesus is a friend in need.
- 3 When He lived on earth abasèd, Friend of sinners was His name; Now above all glories raisèd, He rejoices in the same; Still He calls them brethren, friends, And to all their wants attends.
- 4 Oh, for grace our hearts to soften!
 Teach us, Lord, at length to love:
 We, alas! forget too often
 What a Friend we have above:
 But when home our souls are brought,
 We shall love Thee as we ought.

 John Newton, 1779.



FRIEND.

154 Matt. xi. 19. "A friend of . . sinners."

Matt. xi. 19. "A friend of . . sinners."

- 1 POOR, weak, and worthless, though I am, I have a rich almighty Friend;
 Jesus, the Saviour, is His name:
 He freely loves, and without end.
- 2 He ransomed me from hell with blood, And by His power my foes controlled: He found me wandering far from God, And brought me to His chosen fold.

Tune CYPRUS. L. M.

- 3 He cheers my heart, my wants supplies, And says that I shall shortly be Enthroned with Him above the skies; Oh, what a Friend is Christ to me!
- 4 But ah! my inmost spirit mourns; And well my eyes with tears may swim, To think of my perverse returns; I've been a faithless friend to Him.

5 Sure, were not I most vile and base, I could not thus my Friend requite: And were not He the God of grace, He'd frown and spurn me from His sight!

John Newton, 1779.

KEDAR. [H. P. 42.]



FRIEND.

155 Cant. v. 16. "This is my friend."

A FRIEND there is—your voices join, Ye saints, to praise His name! Whose truth and kindness are Divine, Whose love-a constant flame.

2 When most we need His helping hand, This Friend is always near; With heaven and earth at His command, He waits to answer prayer.

3 His love no end or measure knows, No change can turn its course; Immutably the same it flows From one eternal source.

See Humn 941.

Tune KEDAR. C. M. Or NOTTINGHAM.

4 When frowns appear to veil His face, And clouds surround His throne, He hides the purpose of His grace, To make it better known.

5 And, if our dearest comforts fall Before His sovereign will, He never takes away our all, Himself He gives us still!

6 Our sorrows in the scale He weighs, And measures out our pains: The wildest storm His word obeys, His word its rage restrains!

Joseph Swain, 1702.

HEAD.

156 Eph. iv. 15. "The Head, even Christ."

1 JESUS, I sing Thy matchless grace, That calls a worm Thine own; Gives me among Thy saints a place To make Thy glories known.

2 Allied to Thee, our vital Head, We act, and grow, and thrive: From Thee divided, each is dead When most he seems alive.

3 Thy saints on earth, and those above, Here join in sweet accord:

Tune KEDAR. C. M.

One body all in mutual love, And Thou our common Lord.

4 Oh! may my faith each hour derive Thy Spirit with delight; While death and hell in vain shall strive This bond to disunite.

5 Thou the whole body wilt present Before Thy Father's face; Nor shall a wrinkle or a spot Its beauteous form disgrace!

Philip Doddridge, D.D., 1755.

GOZAN (River of). [H. P. 165.]



HEAD OF THE CHURCH.

157 Eph. i. 22. "Head over all things to the Church."

HEAD of the church triumphant,
We joyfully adore Thee;
Till Thou appear, Thy members here
Shall sing like those in glory:
We lift our hearts and voices,
With boar articipation

With blest anticipation,
And cry aloud, And give to God
The praise of our salvation.

While in affliction's furnace, And passing through the fire,
Thy love we praise, In grateful lays,
Which ever brings us nigher;
We clap our hands, exulting In Thine almighty favour;
The love Divine That made us Thine
Shall keep us Thine for ever.

See Hymns 414, 744.

Tune Gozan. 77, 87. D. Or ZOAN II.

Thou dost conduct Thy people Through torrents of temptation;
Nor will we fear, While Thou art near,
The fire of tribulation:
The world, with sin and Satan,

In vain our march opposes,
By Thee we shall Break through them all,
And sing the song of Moses.

We each, with dying Stephen, Shall see Thee stand At God's right hand, To call us up to heaven!

Charles Wesley, 1745.



HIDING-PLACE.

158 Isa. xxxii. 2. "An Hiding-place."

- AWAKE, sweet harp of Judah, wake! Retune thy strings for Jesu's sake; We sing the Saviour of our race, The Lamb, our shield, and Hiding-place.
- 2 When God's right arm is bared for war, And thunders clothe His cloudy car, Where—where—oh! where shall man retire, To' escape the horror of His ire?
- 3 'Tis He-the Lamb-to Him we fly While the dread tempest passes by: God sees His Well-beloved's face, And spares us in our Hiding-place.

Tune EUPHRATES. L. M.

- 4 While yet we sojourn here below, Fallen, abject, mean—a sentenced race, We deeply need a Hiding-place.
- 5 Yet courage! days and years will glide, And we shall lay these clods aside; Shall be baptized in Jordan's flood, And washed in Jesu's cleansing blood.
- Then pure, immortal, sinless, freed, We through the Lamb shall be decreed; Shall meet the Father face to face, And need no more a Hiding-place.

Henry Kirke White, 1806.

HIDING-PLACE.

159 Ps. xxxii. 7. "Thou art my Hiding-place."

- 1 HAIL! sovereign love, that first began The scheme to rescue fallen man! Hail! matchless, free, eternal grace, That gave my soul a Hiding-place.
- 2 Against the God that rules the sky, I fought with hand uplifted high, Despised the method of His grace, Secure without a Hiding-place.
- 3 Enwrapt in thick Egyptian night, And loving darkness more than light, I madly ran my sinful race, Too proud to seek a Hiding-place.

Or GILBOA. Tune EUPHRATES. L. M.

- 4 But lo! a gracious voice I heard, And mercy's heavenly form appeared; She led me on with smiling face, To Jesus as my Hiding-place.
- 5 On Him the tenfold vengeance fell, That must have sunk a world to hell; He bore it for His chosen race, And thus became their Hiding-place.
- 6 A few more rolling suns at most Will land me safe on Canaan's coast; There I shall see Him face to face, Jesus, my glorious Hiding-place.

Jehoiada Brewer, 1776.

FRENCH; or DUNDEE.

[H. P. 65.]



HIGH PRIEST.

160 Heb. vi. 20. "An High Priest for ever."

1 NOW let our cheerful eyes survey Our great High Priest above. And celebrate His constant care, And sympathetic love.

2 Though raised to a superior throne, Where angels bow around, And high o'er all the shining train. With matchless honours crowned:

C. M. Tune FRENCH.

Or LONDON NEW.

- 3 The names of all His saints He bears Deep graven on His heart; Nor shall the meanest Christian say, That he hath lost his part.
- 4 So, gracious Saviour! on my breast May Thy dear name be worn, A sacred ornament and guard. To endless ages borne!

Philip Doddridge, D.D., 1755.

JESUS.

161 Phil. ii. 10. "At the name of Jesus every knee should bow."

JESUS, in Thy transporting name, What blissful glories rise!
Jesus! the angels' sweetest theme,
The wonder of the skies!

2 Didst Thou forsake Thy radiant crown, And boundless realms of day, Aside Thy robes of glory thrown, To dwell with feeble clay?

Tune FRENCH. C.M. Or BETHER.

> 3 Victorious love! can language tell The wonders of Thy power, Which conquered all the force of hell In that tremendous hour?

4 Is there a heart that will not bend To Thy Divine control?

Descend, O sovereign love, descend,
And melt that stubborn soul!

Anne Steele, 1760.

ST. PETER.



JESUS.

162 Cant. i. 3. "Thy Name is as ointment poured forth."

1 HOW sweet the name of Jesus sounds. It soothes his sorrows, heals his wounds, And drives away his fear.

2 It makes the wounded spirit whole, And calms the troubled breast: 'Tis manna to the hungry soul, And to the weary, rest.

3 Dear Name! the rock on which I build, My shield and hiding-place; My never-failing treasury, filled With boundless stores of grace.

4 By Thee my prayers acceptance gain, Although with sin defiled:

Tune ST. PETER. C. M. Or FRENCH.

Satan accuses me in vain. And I am owned a child.

5 Jesus, my Shepherd, Husband, Friend, My Prophet, Priest, and King; My Lord, my Life, my Way, my End, Accept the praise I bring.

6 Weak is the effort of my heart. And cold my warmest thought:
But when I see Thee as Thou art,
I'll praise Thee as I ought.

7 Till then I would Thy love proclaim With every fleeting breath; And may the music of Thy name Refresh my soul in death!

John Newton, 1779.

JESUS.

163 Ps. xxxvi. 9. "With Thee is the fountain of life."

Tune EDGBASTON. 65, 65. D. Or HERMAS.

ERE each morning breaketh,
I would see Thy face,
Jesus! Precious Saviour!
Jesus! King of Grace! For my thirsty spirit Longs to drink again Of the living river Flowing through this plain.

2 Hark! how sweet its music, As it dashes by, Clear and fresh as ever, In its melody. From the crystal city, From the throne on high, It has leaped to succour Sinners lest they die!

3 Flowing where the desert Looks most parched and bare, There its shining wavelets
Sparkle everywhere!
We, with dying thousands,
Would again partake Of this crystal river, It our thirst can slake!





4 It the drooping pastures Can refresh and bless, And with fragrant blossoms Clothe the wilderness!
Oh! Thou living Spirit,
Give us of Thy dew;
Then our souls, like gardens,

Will yield fruit anew!

William Pennefather, 1871.



KING.

165

Ps. xcvi. 10. (P.B.V.) "Tell it out among the heathen that the Lord is King."

Tune EPENETUS.

[1 TELL it out among the heathen that the Lord is

King!
Tell it out! Tell it out!
Tell it out among the nations, bid them shout and

sing!
Tell it out! Tell it out!]
Tell it out with adoration that He shall increase; That the mighty King of Glory is the King of Peace :

Tell it out with jubilation, though the waves may roar,

That He sitteth on the water-floods, our King for evermore! [Tell it out among the heathen that the Lord is King, etc.]

2 Tell it out among the heathen that the Saviour reigns!
Tell it out! Tell it out!

Tell it out among the nations, bid them burst their chains!

Tell it out! Tell it out!

13 6, 13 6, 13 13, 13 15.

Tell it out among the weeping ones that Jesus lives:

Tell it out among the weary ones what rest He gives: Tell it out among the sinners that He came to

save; Tell it out among the dying that He triumphed

O'er the grave.
[Tell it out among the heathen that the Lord is King, etc.]

3 Tell it out among the heathen Jesus reigns above!
Tell it out! Tell it out!
Tell it out among the nations that His reign is

love! Tell it out! Tell it out!

Tell it out among the highways and the lanes at

Tell it out across the mountains and the ocean foam!

Like the sound of many waters let our glad shout be, Till it echo and re-echo from the islands of the sea! [Tell it out among the heathen that the Lord is King, etc] Frances Ridley Havergal, 1872.

LAMB OF GOD. Tune ARNON. 66,84.

John i. 29. "Behold the Lamb of God."

1 BEHOLD the Lamb of God! Behold, believe, and live: Behold His all-atoning blood, And life receive.

2 Look from thyself to Him, Behold Him on the tree: What though the eye of faith be dim, He looks on thee.

3 That meek, that languid eye, Turns from Himself away; Invites the trembling sinner nigh, And bids him stay.

4 Stay with Him near the tree, Stay with Him near the tomb; Stay with fill flear the cone; Stay till the risen Lord you see, Stay, till He come! Charles Sabine, 1857.

See Hymn 130.

ARNON (The River). [H. P. 118.]

SOREK (Valley of).

[H. P. 184.] LIGHT.

John viii. 12. "I am the Light of the world."

1 LIGHT of those, whose dreary dwelling Borders on the shades of death, Come, and, by Thyself revealing, Dissipate the clouds beneath:

2 The new heaven and earth's Creator, In our deepest darkness rise, Scattering all the night of nature, Pouring day upon our eyes.

3 Still we wait for Thine appearing; Life and joy Thy beams impart, Chasing all our fears, and cheering Every poor, benighted heart.

Tune Sorek. 87.87.

4 Come, and manifest the favour God hath for our ransomed race; Come, Thou dear exalted Saviour, Come, apply Thy saving grace.

5 Save us in Thy great compassion, O Thou mild pacific Prince: Give the knowledge of salvation, Give the pardon and the peace.

6 By Thine all-sufficient merit Every burdened soul release! By the teachings of Thy Spirit Guide us into perfect peace!

See Hymns 206-211.

Charles Wesley, 1744. (a.)



MELCHIZEDEK.

168 Heb. vii. 2. "King of Salem, which is, King of Ponce."

1 KING of Salem, bless my soul!
Make a wounded sinner whole;
King of righteousness and peace,
Let not Thy sweet visits cease!

Tune VIENNA. 77, 77.

2 Come, refresh this soul of mine With Thy sacred bread and wine! All Thy love to me unfold, Half of which cannot be told.

3 Hail! Melchizedek, Divine; Great High Priest, Thou shalt be mine; All my powers before Thee fall; Take not tithe, but take them all!

John Wingrove, 1785.

EVAN I. [H. P. 54.]

MELCHIZEDEK.

169 Heb. vii. 17. "A Priest for ever."

1 THOU dear Redeemer, dying Lamb, We love to hear of Thee; No music like Thy hallowed name, Nor half so sweet can be.

2 Oh! may we ever hear Thy voice In mercy to us speak; And in our Priest we will rejoice, Thou great Melchizedek. Tune EVAN I. C. M.

Or EDEN.

3 Our Jesus shall be still our theme, While in this world we stay: We'll sing our Jesu's lovely name, When all things else decay.

4 When we appear in yonder cloud, With all His favoured throng, Then will we sing more sweet, more loud, And Christ shall be our song!

John Cennick, 1745. (a.)

GETHSEMANE.

[H. P. 28.]



PHYSICIAN.

170 Jer. xvii. 14. "Heal me, O Lord."

DEEP are the wounds which sin hath made:
Where shall the sinner find a cure?
In vain, alas! is nature's aid,
The work exceeds all nature's power.

Tune GETHSEMANE. L. M.

2 Sin, like a raging fever, reigns With fatal strength in every part; The dire contagion fills the veins, And spreads its poison to the heart.

- 3 And can no sovereign balm be found, And is no kind physician nigh, To ease the pain, and heal the wound, Ere life and hope for ever fly?
- 4 There is a great Physician near; Look up, O fainting soul, and live: See in His heavenly smiles appear Such ease as nature cannot give. See Hymn 454.

- 5 See, in the Saviour's dying blood, Life, health, and bliss abundant flow; "Tis only this dear sacred flood Can ease thy pain and heal thy woe.
- 6 Sin throws in vain its pointed dart, For here a sovereign cure is fourd; A cordial for the fainting heart, A balm for every painful wound!

Anne Steele, 1760.



PRIEST.

171 Zech. vi. 13. "A Priest upon His throne."

- 1 JESUS, in Thee our eyes behold A thousand glories more Than the rich gems and polished gold The sons of Aaron wore.
- 2 The first their own burnt-offerings brought, To purge themselves from sin; Thy life was pure, without a spot, And all Thy nature clean.
- 3 Fresh blood as constant as the day
 Was on their altar spilt;
 But Thy one offering takes away
 For ever all our guilt.
- 4 Their priesthood ran through several hands, For mortal was their race; Thy never-changing office stands Eternal as Thy days.

Tune French. C. M.

- 5 Once in the circuit of a year,
 With blood, but not his own,
 Aaron within the veil appears,
 Before the golden throne.
- 6 But Christ by His own powerful blood Ascends above the skies, And in the presence of our God Shows His own sacrifice.
- 7 Jesus, the King of Glory, reigns On Zion's heavenly hill; Looks like a lamb that has been slain, And wears His priesthood still.
- 8 He ever lives to intercede
 Before His Father's face:
 Give Him, my soul, thy cause to plead,
 Nor doubt the Father's grace!

 Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.



PRINCE OF PEACE.

172 Isa. ix. 6. "The Prince of Peace." Tune ELAH. C. M.

- 1 LET saints on earth their anthems raise, Who taste the Saviour's grace: With those above proclaim His praise, And crown Him Prince of Peace!
- 2 Praise Him who laid His glory by For man's apostate race; Praise Him who stooped to bleed and die, And crown Him Prince of Peace!
- 3 We soon shall reach the heavenly shore, To view His glorious face, His name for ever to adore, And crown Him Prince of Peace! Jonathan Evans, 1784.



THE LORD OUR RIGHTEOUSNESS. Jer. xxiii. 6. "The Lord our Righteousness." Tun

- 1 I ONCE was a stranger to grace and to God, I knew not my danger, and felt not my load; Though friends spoke in rapture of Christ on the tree, Jehovah Tsidkenu was nothing to me.
- 2 I oft read with pleasure, to soothe or engage, Isaiah's wild measure and John's simple page; But e'en when they pictured the blood-sprinkled tree, Jehovah Tsidkenu seemed nothing to me.
- 3 Like tears from the daughter of Zion that roll, I wept when the waters went over His soul; Yet thought not that my sins had nailed to the tree Jehovah Tsidkenu—'twas nothing to me.

Tune PARAN. 11 11, 11 11.

- 4 When free grace awoke me, by light from on high, Then legal fears shook me, I trembled to die; No refuge, no safety in self could I see— Jehovah Tsidkenu my Saviour must be.
- 5 My terrors all vanished before the sweet name; My guilty fears banished, with boldness I came To drink at the fountain, life-giving and free—Jehovah Tsidkenu is all things to me.
- 6 Jehovah Tsidkenu! my treasure and boast, Jehovah Tsidkenu! I ne'er can be lost; In Thee I shall conquer, by flood and by field, My cable, my anchor, my breastplate and shield!
- 7 Fi'en treading the valley, the shadow of death, This watchword shall rally my faltering breath; For while from life's fever my God sets me free, Jehovah Tsidkenu my death-song shall be.

Robert Murray M'Cheyne, 1834.

See Hymns 416, 685.

SAVIOUR.

174 Titus iii. 4. "The kindness and love of God our Saviour."

Tune WINTON, C. M.

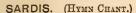
- 1 THE Saviour! Oh what endless charms
 T Dwell in the blissful sound!
 Its influence every fear disarms,
 And spreads sweet comfort round.
- 2 Here pardon, life, and joys Divine In rich effusion flow, For guilty rebels lost in sin, And doomed to endless woe,
- 3 The Almighty Framer of the skies Stooped to our mean abode; While angels viewed with wondering eyes, And hailed the incarnate God.
- 4 Oh! the rich depths of love Divine! Of grace a boundless store! Permit me, Lord, to call Thee mine! I cannot wish for more.





5 On Thee alone my hope relies, Beneath Thy cross I fall, My Lord, my life, my sacrifice, My Saviour, and my all!

Anne Steele, 1760.



[H. P. VI.]



SAVIOUR.

"My spirit hath rejoiced in God my 175 Luke i. 47. Saviour."

Tune, Hymn Chant SARDIS. 888, 3.

- I IN form I long had bowed the knee, But nought attractive then could see To win my wayward heart to Thee, My Saviour !
- 2 Yet oft I trembled when I thought How I had sold myself for nought, But still against Thy love I fought, My Saviour !
- 3 When self-accused I trembling stood, When self-accused 1 defined,
 I promised fair, as any could,
 But never counted on Thy blood,
 My Saviour!
- 4 Too soon the promise vain I proved That sinners make while sin is loved, But still to Thee this heart ne'er moved,
 My Saviour!

- 5 To pleasure prone, I thought it hard From pleasure's path to be debarred,
 Nor pleasure sought from Thy regard,
 My Saviour!
- 6 At length, despairing to be free, A willing slave I meant to be; Twas then Thou didst appear for me, My Saviour !
- 7 Thou, whom I had so long withstood, Thou didst redeem my soul with blood, And Thou hast brought me to my God, My Saviour!
- 8 Through storms and waves of conflict past, Thy potent arm has held me fast, And Thou wilt save me to the last, My Saviour!
- 9 And when I reach the happy shore I hope to rest, but not before, And never to offend Thee more,

My Saviour! Thomas Kelly, 1804.

ZAANAIM (Plain of). [H. P. 191.]



SAVIOUR.

176 2 Tim. i. 9. "Who hath saved us, and called us."

- 1 JESUS is our great salvation, Worthy of our best esteem! He has saved His favoured nation; Join to sing aloud to Him! He has called us, Christ alone can us redeem.
- 2 When, involved in sin and ruin, And no helper there was found, Jesus our distress was viewing: Grace did more than sin abound: He has called us, With salvation in the sound.

3 Save us from a mere profession!

87, 87, 47.

Tune ZAANAIM.

- Save us from hypocrisy: Give us, Lord, the sweet possession Of Thy righteousness and Thee: Best of favours! None compared with this can be.
- 4 Free election, known by calling, Is a privilege Divine:
 Saints are kept from final falling;
 All the glory, Lord, be Thine;
 All the glory. All the glory, Lord, is Thine! John Adams, 1776.

See Hymn 191.

SHEPHERD.

177 John x. 27, 28. "My sheep never perish." . . . shall

Tune IDUMEA. 87, 87, 47.

1 SHEPHERD of the chosen number,
They are safe whom Thou dost keep;
Other shepherds faint and slumber,
And forget to watch the sheep;
Watchful Shepherd!
Thou dost wake while others sleep.

2 When the lion came, depending On his strength to seize his prey, Thou wert there, Thy sheep defending, Thou didst then Thy power display; Mighty Shepherd! Thou didst turn the foe away.

3 When the Shepherd's life was needful To redeem the sheep from death, Of their safety ever heedful, Thou for them didst yield Thy breath;

Faithful Shepherd!
Love like Thine no other hath.

Thomas Kelly, 1809.





[H. P. 12.]



SHEPHERD.

178 Ezek. xxxiv. 23. "I will set up one Shepherd over them."

them." Tune HEBRON. L. M.

In verdant pastures let them lie,

1 JESUS, the Shepherd of the sheep,
Thy little flock in safety keep;
The flock for which Thou camest from heaven,
The flock for which Thy life was given.

2 O guard Thy sheep from beasts of prey, And guide them that they never stray: Cherish the young, sustain the old, Let none be feeble in Thy fold.

3 Secure them from the scorching beam, And lead them to the living stream;

- And watch them with a Shepherd's eye. 4 O may Thy sheep discern Thy voice, And in its sacred sound rejoice: From strangers may they ever flee, And know no other guide but Thee.
- 5 Lord, bring Thy sheep that wander yet, And let the number be complete; Then let Thy flock from earth remove, And occupy the fold above!

Thomas Kelly, 1804.

PATMOS.

[H. P. 147.]



179 John x. 11. "I am the good Shepherd."

1 LOVING Shepherd of Thy sheep, Keep me, Lord, in safety keep; Nothing can Thy power withstand, None can pluck me from Thy hand.

2 Loving Shepherd! Thou didst give Thine own life that I might live; May I love Thee day by day, Gladly Thy sweet will obey! Tune Patmos. 77, 77. Or Chios.

3 Loving Shepherd! ever near, Teach me still Thy voice to hear; Suffer not my step to stray From the strait and narrow way.

4 Where Thou leadest me I go, Walking in Thy steps below: Then before Thy Father's throne, Jesu! claim me for Thine own!

Jane E. Leeson, 1842.



180 John x. 14. "I know My sheep."

MY soul, with joy attend,
While Jesus silence breaks;
No angel's harp such music yields,
As what my Shepherd speaks.
2 "I know My sheep," He cries,
"My soul approves them well;
Vain is the treacherous world's disguise,
And vain the race of hell And vain the rage of hell.

3 "I freely feed them now With tokens of My love; But richer pastures I prepare, And sweeter streams above.

Tune St. MICHAEL. S. M.

4 "Unnumbered years of bliss I to My sheep will give; And, while My throne unshaken stands, Shall all My chosen live.

"This tried Almighty hand
Is raised for their defence;
Where is the power shall reach them there?
Or what shall force them thence?"

6 Enough, my gracious Lord, Let faith triumphant cry; My heart can on this promise live,

Can on this promise die! Philip Doddridge, D.D., 1755.



SHEPHERD. 181 Ps. xxiii. 1. "The Lord is my Shepherd" Tune EATON. 88, 88, 88. Or MAON.

THE Lord my pasture shall prepare, And feed me with a Shepherd's care; His presence shall my wants supply, And guard me with a watchful eye: My noonday walks He will attend, And all my midnight hours defend.

When in the sultry glebe I faint, Or on the thirsty mountains pant, To fertile vales and dewy meads My weary, wandering steps He leads, Where peaceful rivers, soft and slow, Amid the verdant landscape flow.

Though in a bare and rugged way Through devious lonely wilds I stray, Thy presence shall my pains beguile; The barren wilderness shall smile, With sudden green and herbage crowned; And streams shall murmur all around.

Though in the paths of death I tread, With gloomy horrors overspread, My steadfast heart shall fear no ill, For Thou, O Lord, art with me still: Thy friendly hand shall give me aid, And guide me through the dreadful shade! Joseph Addison, 1712.

See Hymns 511, 934.

SINNERS' FRIEND. 182 Luke vii. 34. "A friend . sinners.

Tune SIRION. 87, 87.

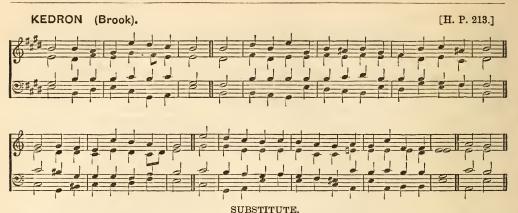
1 PRIEND of sinners! Lord of Glory! Musing o'er Thy wondrous story, Fain would I Thy praises sing.

2 From Thy throne of light celestial, Moved with pity, Thou didst bend To behold our woes terrestrial, And become the Sinners' Friend.

3 Sinners' Friend! O name most blessèd Unto those who mourn for sin; By the devil sore distressed, Foes without and fears within!

4 Friend to help us, cheer us, save us.
In whom power and pity blend—
Praise we must, the grace which gave us
Jesus Christ, the Sinners' Friend! Newman Hall, 1858.





- 183 2 Cor. v. 21. "He hath made Him to be sin for us, who knew no sin." Tune KEDRON. 886. D. Or BRIDEHEAD.
 - 1 FROM whence this fear and unbelief?
 Hath not the Father put to grief
 His spotless Son for me?
 And will the righteous Judge of men
 Condemn me for that debt of sin,
 Which, Lord, was charged on Thee?
 - 2 Complete atonement Thou hast made, And to the utmost farthing paid Whate'er Thy people owed: Nor can His wrath on me take place, If sheltered in Thy righteousness, And sprinkled with Thy blood.
- 3 If my discharge Thou hast procured, And freely in my room endured The whole of wrath Divine: Payment God cannot twice demand, First at my bleeding Surety's hand, And then again at mine.
- 4 Turn then, my soul, unto thy rest; The merits of thy great High Priest Have bought thy liberty: Trust in His efficacious blood, Nor fear thy banishment from God, Since Jesus died for thee!

Augustus M. Toplady, 1775.

SURETY.

184 Heb. vii. 22. "Jesus . . . made a Surety." Tune PISGAH. 77, 77. Or LUBECK.

- 1 CHRIST exalted is our song, Hymned by all the blood-bought throng; To His throne our shouts shall rise, God with us by sacred ties.
- 2 Shout, believer, to thy God, He hath once the winepress trod; Peace procured by blood Divine, Cancelled all thy sins, and mine.
- 3 Here thy bleeding wounds are healed, Sin condemned, and pardon sealed; Grace her empire still maintains; Christ without a rival reigns.
- 4 Through corruption, felt within, Darkness, deadness, guilt, and sin, Still to Jesus turn thine eyes, Israel's Hope and Sacrifice.
- 5 In thy Surety thou art free, His dear hands were pierced for thee; With His spotless vesture on, Holy as the Holy One.
- 6 Oh! the heights, the depths of grace, Shining with meridian blaze; Here the sacred records show Sinners black, but comely too.



7 Saints dejected, cease to mourn;
Faith shall soon to vision turn;
Ye the kingdom shall obtain,
And with Christ exalted reign!

John Kent, 1803.

EVAN I. [H. P. 54.]



TRUE VINE.

185 John xv. 1. "I am the true Vine."

JESUS, immutably the same, Thou true and living Vine, Around Thy all-supporting stem My feeble arms I twine.

2 Quickened by Thee, and kept alive, I flourish and bear fruit; My life I from Thy sap derive, My vigour from Thy root.

3 I can do nothing without Thee; My strength is wholly Thine: Tune EVAN I. C. M.

Withered and barren should I be, If severed from the Vine.

4 Upon my leaf when parched with heat Refreshing dew shall drop; The plant which Thy right hand hath set Shall ne'er be rooted up.

5 Each moment watered by Thy care, And fenced with power Divine, Fruit to eternal life shall bear The feeblest branch of Thine!

Augustus M. Toplady, 1771.

ST. GREGORY.

[H. P. 259.]



THE WAY.

186 John xiv. 6. "I am the Way."

JESUS, my all, to heaven is gone, He whom I fix my hopes upon; His track I see, and I'll pursue The narrow way, till Him I view.

2 The way that holy prophets went, The road that leads from banishment, The King's highway of holiness, I'll go, for all His paths are peace.

3 No stranger may proceed therein, No lover of the world and sin; Wayfaring men, to Canaan bound, Shall only in the way be found.

4 This is the way I long have sought, And mourned because I found it not: Tune St. Gregory. L. M.

My grief and burden long have been, Because I could not cease from sin.

5 The more I strove against its power, I sinned and stumbled but the more; Till late I heard my Saviour say.
"Come hither, soul! I am the Way!"

6 Lo! glad I come: and Thou, blest Lamb Shalt take me to Thee, as I am. Nothing but sin have I to give; Nothing but love shall I receive.

7 Now will I tell to sinners round What a dear Saviour I have found; I'll point to Thy redeeming blood, And say, "Behold the Way to God!"

John Cennick, 1743. (a.)

THE WAY.

187 John xiv. 6. "I am the Way."

1 THOU art the Way: to Thee alone From sin and death we flee, And he who would the Father seek, Must seek Him, Lord, by Thee.

2 Thou art the Truth: Thy word alone Sound wisdom can impart; Thou only canst inform the mind, And purify the heart. Tune Evan I. C. M.

3 Thou art the Life: the rending tomb Proclaims Thy conquering arm; And those who put their trust in Thee Nor death nor hell shall harm.

4 Thou art the Way, the Truth, the Life; Grant us that Way to know, That Truth to keep, that Life to win, Whose joys eternal flow!

Bishop George W. Doane, 1856.

ABOVE EVERY NAME.

188 Phil. ii. 9. "A Name which is above every name."

Tune DARWELL. 6666.88.

- JOIN all the glorious names Of wisdom, love, and power, That mortals ever knew, That angels ever bore; All are too mean to speak His worth, Too mean to set my Saviour forth.
- 2 But oh what gentle terms,
 What condescending ways,
 Doth our Redeemer use
 To teach His heavenly grace!
 Mine eyes with joy and wonder see
 What forms of love He bears for
 me.
 - 3 Arrayed in mortal flesh
 The Covenant-Angel stands,
 And holds the promises
 And pardons in His hands:
 Commissioned from His Father's throne
 To make His grace to mortals known.
 - 4 Great Prophet of my God!

 My tongue would bless Thy name:
 By Thee the joyful news
 Of our salvation came;
 The joyful news of sins forgiven,
 Of hell subdued, and peace with heaven.

PART II.

- 5 Be Thou my Counsellor,
 My Pattern, and my Guide,
 And through this desert land
 Still keep me near Thy side:
 Oh let my feet ne'er run astray,
 Nor rove, nor seek the crooked way.
- 6 I love my Shepherd's voice:
 His watchful eye shall keep
 My wandering soul among
 The thousands of His sheep:
 He feeds His flock, He calls their names,
 His bosom bears the tender lambs.
- 7 To this dear Surety's hand
 Will I commit my cause;
 He answers and fulfils
 His Father's broken laws;
 Behold my soul at freedom set!
 My Surety paid the dreadful debt.



8 Jesus, my great High Priest,
Offered His blood and died;
My guilty conscience seeks
No sacrifice beside;
His powerful blood did once atone,
And now it pleads before the throne,

PART III.

- 9 My Advocate appears
 For my defence on high,
 The Father bows His ear,
 And lays His thunder by;
 Not all that hell or sin can say,
 Shall turn His heart, His love away.
- 10 My dear Almighty Lord,
 My Conqueror and my King,
 Thy sceptre, and Thy sword,
 Thy reigning grace I sing;
 Thine is the power; behold I sit
 In willing bonds before Thy feet.
- 11 Now let my soul arise,
 And tread the tempter down:
 My Captain leads me forth
 To conquest and a crown:
 A feeble saint shall win the day,
 Though death and hell obstruct the way.
- 12 Should all the hosts of death,
 And powers of hell unknown,
 Put their most dreadful forms
 Of rage and mischief on;
 I shall be safe, for Christ displays
 Superior power, and guardian grace.

 Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.

(3) THE DIVINE LOVE OF CHRIST.

189 Titus iii. 4. "The kindness and love of God our Saviour."

Tune ZOAN I. 76, 76. D.

1 LOVE caused Thine incarnation,
Love brought Thee from on high;
Thy thirst for our salvation—
This made Thee come to die;
Oh! love beyond all measure!
Wherewith Thou didst embrace
The victims of the pressure
Of sin and its disgrace.

2 Not sinful man's endeavour,
Nor any mortal's care,
Could draw that sovereign favour
To sinners in despair;
Uncalled, Thou camest with gladness
Us from the fall to raise,
And change our grief and sadness
To songs of joy and praise!
Paul Gerhardt, 1653; J. C. Jacobi (tr.), 1722.

DIMON (Waters of).

[H. P. 64.]



190

Eph. v. 2. "Christ also hath loved us."

- O BLESSED Saviour! is Thy love So great, so full, so free? Fain would we give our hearts, our minds, our lives, our all, to Thee.
- 2 We love Thee for the glorious work That in Thyself we see, We love Thee for the shameful cross Endured so patiently.
- 3 No man of greater love can boast
 Than for his friend to die;
 Thou for Thine enemies wast slain—
 What love with Thine can vie?

Tune DIMON. C. M.

Or St. ANN.

- 4 Thou in the very form of God, With heavenly glory crowned, Thou didst partake of human flesh, Beset with sorrows round.
- 5 Thou wouldst like sinful man be made In everything but sin, That we as like Thee might become As we unlike have been:—
- 6 Like Thee in faith, in meekness, love, In every heavenly grace, From glory unto glory changed, Till we behold Thy face!

Joseph Stennett, 1697.



191 1 Pet. i. 8. "Whom having not seen, ye love."

1 O SAVIOUR, precious Saviour,
Whom yet unseen we love,
O Name of might and favour,
All other names above:
We worship Thee, we bless Thee,
To Thee alone we sing:
We praise Thee, and confess Thee
Our holy Lord and King!

2 O Bringer of salvation, Who wondrously hast wrought, Thyself the revelation Of love beyond our thought: We worship Thee, we bless Thee, To Thee alone we sing: We praise Thee, and confess Thee Our gracious Lord and King! Tune ZOAN I. 76, 76. D.

3 In Thee all fulness dwelleth,
All grace and power Divine;
The glory that excelleth,
O Son of God, is Thine:
We worship Thee, we bless Thee,
To Thee alone we sing;
We praise Thee, and confess Thee
Our glorious Lord and King!

4 0 grant the consummation
Of this our song above,
In endless adoration
And everlasting love:
Then shall we praise and bless Thee,
Where perfect praises ring,
And evermore confess Thee
Our Saviour and our King!
Frances Ridley Havergal, 1870.

192 Ps. ciii. 20. "Bless the Lord, ye His angels that excel in strength."

Tune Moscow. 664, 6664.

1 PRAISE God, ye seraphs bright. Praise Him, ye sons of light, Jesus adore! What earthly choirs can swell, What mortal tongue can tell,

Thy love, Immanuel, God evermore?

2 Yet must we lisp Thy praise, Though but in human lays, Jesus Most High! Didst Thou not leave Thy throne, And to this world come down, To bear our curse alone, To bleed and die!

3 Come, saints, in God rejoice, Lift up a mighty voice, Sing to the Lamb! For us His blood was shed,— For us He left the dead, His foes discomfited! Praise the I AM!



Now at the Father's hand, While countless angels stand Waiting His word, Christ sits in majesty! In Him humanity Is one with Deity,

Praise ye the Lord!

5 Soon shall we see His face, Wearing no mournful trace,-Oh, what a sight!
Soon shall we hear Him say,
"Come, waiting child, away,
Lo! now has dawned the day
That knows not night!" William Pennefather, 1871.

GOLDBACH.

[H. P. 130.]



193

Matt. xi. 28. "Come unto Me."

1 66 COME unto Me, ye weary, And I will give you rest." O blessed voice of Jesus, Which comes to hearts oppressed!

It tells of benediction, Of pardon, grace, and peace; Of joy that hath no ending, Of love which cannot cease.

2 "Come unto Me, dear children,

And I will give you light."
O loving voice of Jesus,
Which comes to cheer the night!
Our hearts were filled with sadness,

And we had lost our way;

But morning brings us gladness, And songs the break of day.

76, 76. D. Tune Goldbach.

3 "Come unto Mc, ye fainting, And I will give you life." O peaceful voice of Jesus, Which comes to end our strife!

The foe is stern and eager,

The fight is fierce and long But Thou hast made us mighty, And stronger than the strong.

4 "And whosoever cometh, I will not cast him out."

O patient voice of Jesus,
Which drives away our doubt;
Which calls us, very sinners,
Unworthy though we be
Of love so free and boundless,

To come, dear Lord, to Thee.

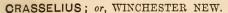
William Chatterton Dix, 1367.

Isa. lxiii. 7. "The lovingkindnesses of the Lord."

A WAKE, my soul, in joyful lays, And sing thy great Redeemer's praise; He justly claims a song from me— His loving-kindness, oh! how free!

L. M. Tune Crasselius.

2 He saw me ruined in the fall, Yet loved me notwithstanding all; He saved me from my lost estate— His loving-kindness, oh! how great!



[H. P. 3.]



- 3 Though numerous hosts of mighty foes, Though earth and hell, my way oppose, He safely leads my soul along— His loving-kindness, oh! how strong!
- 4 When trouble, like a gloomy cloud, Has gathered thick and thundered loud, He near my soul has always stood— His loving-kindness, oh! how good!
- 5 I often feel my sinful heart Prone from my Jesus to depart;

See Hymns 215, 715-722, 930, 935.

- But though I have Him oft forgot, His loving-kindness changes not!
- 6 Soon shall I pass the gloomy vale, Soon all my mortal powers must fail; Oh! may my last expiring breath His loving-kindness sing in death!
- 7 Then let me mount and soar away To the bright world of endless day; And sing with rapture and surprise His loving-kindness in the skies!

Samuel Medley, 1785.

(4) THE INCARNATION.

195 Luke ii. 10. "Good tilings of great joy."
Tune NASSAU. 77, 77, 77.

- 1 SING, oh sing, this blessed morn, Unto us a Child is born, Unto us a Son is given, God Himself comes down from heaven; Sing, oh sing, this blessed morn, Jesus Christ to-day is born.
- 2 Jesus Christ, the King of kings, Maker of all worldly things, Now descends from heaven to earth, To restore us by His birth; Sing, oh sing, etc.
- 3 God of God, and Light of light, Comes with mercies infinite; Joining, in a wondrous plan, Heaven to earth, and God to man; Sing, oh sing, etc.
- 4 God with us, Emmanuel, Deigns for ever now to dwell; He on Adam's fallen race Sheds the fulness of His grace; Sing, oh sing, etc.
- 5 Truth and mercy show their face, And with loving kiss embrace; Righteousness looks down from heaven, God is pleased, and man forgiven; Sing, oh sing, etc.

PART II.

- 6 God comes down that man may rise, Lifted far above the skies; He is Son of Man, that we Sons of God in Him may be; Sing, oh sing, etc.
- 7 Human flesh is now become Christ's abode, the Godhead's home; Royal palace, sacred shrine For the Majesty Divine; Sing, oh sing, etc.
- 8 Now we rise, from prison free; On we march to victory, Joyful banners are unfurled; 'Tis the birthday of the world; Sing, oh sing. etc.



- 9 Now behold the rising Sun Hath His glorious race begun; Now the Bridegroom from above Weds the Bride, with heavenly love; Sing, oh sing, etc.
- 10 Oh renew us, Lord. we pray, With Thy Spirit day by day; That we ever one may be With the Father, and with Thee; Sing, oh sing, etc.
- 11 Sing, oh sing, this blessed morn,
 Jesus Christ to-day is born;
 Glory to the Father give,
 Praise the Son in whom we live;
 Glory to the Spirit be,
 Godhead One, and Persons Three. Amen.
 Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1862.

196 Luke ii. 10. "I bring you good

Tune Deptford. 10 10, 10 10, 10 10.

1 CHRISTIANS, awake, salute the happy morn
Whereon the Saviour of mankind was

born; Rise to adore the mystery of love, Which hosts of angels chanted from above;

With them the joyful tidings were begun,

Of God Incarnate, and the Virgin's Son.

2 Oh! may we keep and ponder in our mind God's wondrous love in saving lost mankind;

Trace we the Babe, who hath retrieved our loss,
From the poor manger to the bitter

cross!
Tread in His steps, assisted by His

grace,
Till man's first heavenly state again
take place.



3 Then may we hope, the angelic hosts among, To join, redeemed, a glad, triumphant throng; He that was born upon this joyful day Around us all His glory shall display; Saved by His love incessant we shall sing Eternal praise to heaven's Almighty King!

John Byrom, 1761.

PHILEMON.

[H. P. 223.]

197 Luke ii. 11. "A Saviour, which is Christ the Lord."

1 BRING to Christ your best oblation, Grateful hearts and adoration, Join in songs of gratulation,

Christian people, on this day.
2 Sin and hell may look astounded,
Death and devil be confounded;
We, in whom grace hath abounded,
Cast all griefs and fears away.

3 See the precious Gift God giveth! His own Son, who ever liveth: He who in His name believeth Shall be saved through His grace.

4 Oh how great was His compassion, Thus to come in human fashion, And to visit with salvation Our poor sin-polluted race! Tune PHILEMON. 888, 7.

5 Jacob's Star, desired for ages, Guides from far the Eastern sages; The old dragon fumes and rages, When he sees the woman's Seed.

6 Long we sat in bitter anguish, In a dungeon left to languish; Jesus comes our foe to vanquish, Bursts our bonds, and we are freed!

7 Blessèd hour! when full confession First we made of our transgression, And obtained a free remission, Jesus, through Thy precious blood!

8 Smile upon us, heavenly Stranger, Cradled in a lowly manger, Bring us from this world of danger, To Thyself, our Lord and God! Paul Gerhardt, 1659; R. Massie (tr.), 1864.

198 Luke ii. 14. "On earth peace." Tune ZARED I. 85, 85, 777, 5.

JESUS, from the skies descending, Lies a babe on earth! Seraphs, o'er the manger bending, Hail the wondrous birth! Lo! the watchful shepherds hear Sounds of joy with holy fear; Haste to gaze; then, far and near, Spread the tidings forth.

2 Tis to open sweet communion "Twixt the earth and skies; Tis to bind all hearts in union, God an infant lies! Gaze upon that placid brow, And while ye admiring bow, Holy love to cherish, vow, Till all discord dies.





77, 77.

3 Oh, let every heart adore Him!
Peace and love o'erflow!
Anger, hatred, sink before Him,
To your depths below!
Be no sound beneath the sky;
Be no glance from mortal eye;
Be no thought, no feeling, nigh,
Brethren should not know!

Thomas Davis, 1846,

- Luke ii. 14. "Glory to God."
 Tune PISGAH.
 - 1 HARK, the herald angels sing, Glory to the new-born King, "Peace on earth, and mercy mild; God and sinners reconciled."
 - 2 Joyful, all ye nations, rise, Join the triumph of the skies; Hail the heaven-born Prince of Peace! Hail the Sun of Righteousness!
 - 3 Veiled in flesh the Godhead see; Hail the' Incarnate Deity; Pleased as man with men to' appear, Jesus our Immanuel here.
 - 4 Mild He lays His glory by; Born that men no more might die; Born to raise the sons of earth; Born to give them second birth.
 - 5 Come, Desire of Nations, come! Fix in us Thy humble home; Rise, the woman's promised Seed, Bruise in us the serpent's head.
 - 6 Glory to the new-born King! Let us all the anthem sing, "Peace on earth, and mercy mild; God and sinners reconciled!"

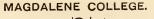
Charles Wesley, 1739.



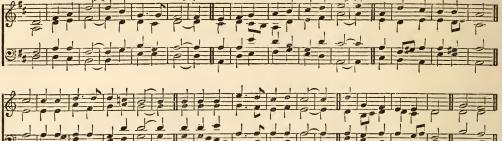


- 200 Isa. ix. 6. "Unto us a Child is born."
 Tune LUBECK. 77, 77
 - 1 BRIGHT and joyful is the morn, For to us a Child is born: From the highest realms of heaven Unto us a Son is given.
 - 2 On His shoulder He shall bear Power and majesty, and wear, On His vesture and His thigh, Names most awful, names most high.
 - 3 Wonderful in counsel He, The Incarnate Deity: Sire of ages ne'er to cease, King of kings, and Prince of Peace.
 - 4 Come and worship at His feet, Yield to Christ the homage meet, From His manger to His throne, Homage due to God alone!

James Montgomery, 1819.



[H. P. 210.]



- 201 Luke ii. 14. "Glory to God in the highest."
- ¹ H^{OW} sweet the notes of yonder choir, While Gabriel's words their hearts inspire, The subject so Divine: To Zion's daughters now declare, For you is born the promised Heir Of David's royal line.
- 2 'Tis not the noise of war we hear, Nor garments rolled in blood we fear, On this auspicious morn; Judgment and mercy both conspire With love to set our souls on fire: "To us a Child is born."
- 3 In David's city long foretold, The Son of David now behold, Desire of nations He; The Mighty God, the Prince of Peace, Whose government shall never cease, In Bethlehem's Babe we see.

- Or KEDRON. Tune Magdalene College, 886, D.
 - 4 'Tis "God with us, Emmanuel," With new-strung harps the tidings swell;
 He'll bring His banished home.
 The once loved nation's sceptre broke, Fulfilled the words the prophet spoke, The gathering Shiloh's come!
 - 5 As Jacob's Star behold Him shine, As Israel's Sceptre all Divine; "His own received Him not;" Yet in His temple shall He stand, A priest with incense in His hand, To plead for those He bought.
 - 6 Then catch the notes of yonder choir, While listening seraphim admire; Let love our hearts inflame; And since "to us a Child is born," We'll sing on this auspicious morn, That Jesus is His name!

John Kent, 1841.

VENITE ADOREMUS.

H. P. 250.1



2.02. Luke ii. 15. "Let us now go even unto Bethlehem."

Tune VENITE ADOREMUS. 12 10, 11 10.

- 1 O COME, all ye faithful, joyfully triumphant; To Bethlehem haste ye with glad accord; Lo! in a manger lies the King of angels;
 - O come, let us adore Him, CHRIST THE LORD.

2 Though true God of true God, Light of Light eternal,

The womb of a Virgin He hath not abhorred; Son of the Father, not made but begotten; O come, let us adore Him, CHRIST THE LORD.

- 3 Raise, raise, choirs of angels! songs of loudest triumph, Through heaven's wide courts be your praises poured;
 - Now to our God be glory in the highest;
 O come, let us adore Him, CHRIST THE LORD.
- 4 Amen! Lord, we bless Thee, born for our salvation; O Jesu! for ever be Thy name adored; Word of the Father, late in flesh appearing; O come, let us adore Him, CHRIST THE LORD!

Adeste Fideles, 15th Century; W. Mercer. ('r.)

203 Luke ii.13. "A multitude of the heavenly host."

Tune IDUMEA. 87, 87, 47.

- A NGELS, from the realms of glory, Wing your flight o'er all the earth, Ye who sang creation's story, Now proclaim Messiah's birth; Come and worship, Worship Christ, the new-born King.
- 2 Saints, before the altar bending, Waiting long with hope and fear, Suddenly the Lord descending In His temple shall appear; Come and worship, Worship Christ, the new-born King.
- 3 Sinners, wrung with true repentance,
 Doomed for guilt to endless pains,
 Justice now repeals the sentence,
 Mercy calls you—break your chains;
 Come and worship,
 Worship Christ, the new-born King.

 James Montgomery, 1819,



CHESALON (Mount).

[H. P. 35.]



204

Luke i. 72. "To perform the mercy promised."

Tune CHESALON. C. M.

- 1 HARK, the glad sound, the Saviour comes, The Saviour promised long! Let every heart prepare a throne, And every voice a song.
- 2 On Him the Spirit, largely poured, Exerts its sacred fire; Wisdom and might, and zeal and love, His holy breast inspire.
- 3 He comes, the prisoners to release, In Satan's bondage held; The gates of brass before Him burst, The iron fetters yield.

- 4 He comes, from thickest films of vice To clear the mental ray; And on the eyeballs of the blind To pour celestial day.
- 5 He comes, the broken heart to bind, The bleeding soul to cure; And with the treasures of His grace To' enrich the humble poor.
- 6 Our glad hosannas, Prince of Peace! Thy welcome shall proclaim; And heaven's eternal arches ring With Thy beloved name!

Philip Doddridge, D.D., 1755,



See Hymns 132, 135, 943—948.

Luke ii. 9-11. "The glory of the Lord." Tune SITNAH. 87, 87. Or SIRION.

1 HARK! what mean those holy voices. Sweetly sounding in the skies! Lo! the angelic host rejoices: Loudest Hallelujahs rise.

2 Listen to the wondrous story
Which they chant in hymns of joy;
"Glory in the highest, glory;
Glory be to God most high.
Hallelujah!

3 "Peace on earth, good will from heaven, Reaching far as man is found; Souls redeemed and sins forgiven, Loud our golden harps shall sound. Hallelujah!

4 "Christ is born: the great Anointed! Heaven and earth His glory sing! O receive whom God appointed For your Prophet, Priest, and King. Hallelujah!

5 "Hasten, mortals, to adore Him, Learn His name and taste His joy, Till in heaven ye sing before Him, Glory be to God most high!" Hallelujah!

6 Let us learn the wondrous story Of our great Redeemer's birth, Spread the brightness of His glory, pread the brightness of The Till it cover all the earth.

Hallelujah!

John Cawood, 1816.

DIX. fH. P. 287.1

(5) THE EPIPHANY.

Luke i. 78. "The Day-spring from on high." 206 Tune Dix. 77, 77, 77. Or SIHOR.

> 1 CHRIST, whose glory fills the skies, Christ, the true, the only Light, Sun of Righteousness, arise, Triumph o'er the shades of night; Day-spring from on high, be near; Day-star, in my heart appear!

2 Dark and cheerless is the morn,
Unaccompanied by Thee;
Joyless is the day's return,
Till Thy mercy's beams I see;
Till they inward light impart.
Glad my eyes and warm my heart.

3 Visit then this soul of mine, Pierce the gloom of sin and grief, Fill me, Radiancy Divine; Scatter all my unbelief; More and more Thyself display, Shining to the perfect day!

Charles Wesley, 1740.

Matt. ii. 2. "We have seen His Star." Tune Dix. 77, 77, 77.

> 1 AS with gladness men of old Did the guiding star behold; As with joy they hailed its light, Leading onward, beaming bright: So, most gracious Lord, may we Evermore be led to Thee.

2 As with joyful steps they sped To that lowly manger-bed, There to bend the knee before Him whom heaven and earth adore: So may we with willing feet Ever seek the mercy-seat.

3 As they offered gifts most rare At that manger rude and bare: So may we with holy joy, Pure and free from sin's alloy, All our costliest treasures bring Christ, to Thee, our heavenly King. 4 Holy Jesus, every day
Keep us in the narrow way;
And, when earthly things are past,
Bring our ransomed souls at last
Where they need no star to guide,
Where no clouds Thy glory hide.

5 In the heavenly country bright
Need they no created light:
Thou its light, its joy, its crown,
Thou its sun which goes not down:
There for ever may we sing
Hallelujahs to our King!

William Chatterton Dix, 1861.



208 Rev. xxii. 16. "I am the bright and morning Star,"

Tune Sternberg. 11 10, 11 10.

- 1 BRIGHTEST and best of the sons of the morning!
 Dawn on our darkness and lend us thine aid!
 Star of the East, the horizon adorning,
 Guide where our infant Redeemer is laid!
- 2 Cold on His cradle the dewdrops are shining, Low lies His bed with the beasts of the stall; Angels adore Him, in slumber reclining, Maker, and Monarch, and Saviour of all!
- 3 Say, shall we yield Him, in costly devotion, Odours of Edom and offerings Divine? Gems of the mountain and pearls of the ocean, Myrrh from the forest or gold from the mine?
- 4 Vainly we offer each ample oblation, Vainly with gifts would His favour secure; Richer by far is the heart's adoration, Dearer to God are the prayers of the poor!
- 5 Brightest and best of the sons of the morning! Dawn on our darkness and lend us thine aid! Star of the East, the horizon adorning, Guide where our infant Redeemer is laid! Bishop Heber, 1811.

209 Luke ii. 32. "A Light to lighten

Tune Morian. 6666, 4444.

- 1 IN doubt and dread dismay,
 'Midst superstition's gloom,
 The heathen grope their way,
 And joyless reach the tomb:
 No holy light, No balmy ray
 Of gospel day Has blessed their sight.
- 2 Then, Star of life, arise!
 And on Thy healing wing,
 With blood of sacrifice,
 Thy great salvation bring:
 Let heathen lands Thy brightness
 see;
 O set them free From cruel bands.
 - With searching beams explore
 The dark strongholds of sin;
 And on the prisoners pour
 Transforming light within:
 Bright Morning Star! Unveil Thy face,
 And shed Thy grace In realms afar.



4 O Jesus, Light of Life!

Arouse the world from sleep;
Send love in place of strife,
And joy to those who weep:
Great King of kings! Thy Spirit give;
Let Gentiles live Beneath Thy wings!

William Henry Havergal, 1837.

Tune HAVILAH. 87, 87, 47. Or ZAANAIM. 210 2 Pet. i. 19. "Until the day dawn, and the Day Star arise."

1 WIDELY, 'midst the slumbering nations, Darkness holds his despot sway; Cruel in his habitations, Ruthless o'er his prostrate prey. Star of Bethlehem!

Rise and beam in conquering day!

2 Light of Life, our sole Defender,
Rise, with healing on Thy wing;
Rise, in all Thy soothing splendour;
Rise, and earth with joy shall sing!
Israel's Glory!
Consider When "Lord and Wing" Gentiles call Thee "Lord and King." 3 Christians, haste! the morn is breaking; Darkness wheels his downward flight; But, your polished armour taking, Stand! nor quit the waning fight.
Great Redeemer!
Guard us with Thy shield of light.

4 Onward, Christians, onward pressing, Triumph in the Crucified! Endless honour, rest, and blessing, Wait you at His radiant side. Cease not, cease not, Till you see Him glorified!

William Henry Havergal, 1828.



2.11 Mal. iv. 2. "The Sun of Righteousness," Tune HAVILAH. 87, 87, 87.

1 BRIGHTER than meridian splendour, Beams Messiah's spotless fame; Him we hail our firm Defender, Him let every tongue proclaim. He is precious, He is gracious, He for ever is the same.

2 Lord of glory! Source of favour! Bid Thy heralds take their stand; Let Thy name's reviving savour
Wake each dark and drowsy land.
Saviour, hear us; Speak and cheer us, When we lift the suppliant hand.

3 Thou art all! and all adore Thee,
Where they hymn one ceaseless song;
Soon shall earth, subdued before Thee,
Peal Thy name her tribes among. Sons of glory, Chant the story, And your deep Amen prolong!

William Henry Havergal, 1830.



(6) THE CIRCUMCISION OF CHRIST.

212 Luke ii. 21. "When eight days were accomplished."

1 O BLESSED day, when first was poured The blood of our redeeming Lord! O blessèd day, when first began His sufferings borne for sinful man!

2 Scarce entered on this life of woe. His infant blood begins to flow; A foretaste of His death He feels, An earnest of His love reveals.

Tune GETHSEMANE.

3 The law's great Maker for our aid Obedient to the law is made; Henceforth a holier law prevails, The law of love, which never fails.

4 Lord, circumcise our hearts, we pray, And take what is not Thine away; Write Thine own name within our hearts, Thy law upon our inmost parts!

Besnault, 1726: John Chandler (tr.), 1837.

213 Matt. i. 21. "Thou shalt call His name Jesus, for He shall save His people from their sins."

Tune LUBECK. 77, 77.

- 1 CONQUERING kings their titles take From the foes they captive make; Jesus, by a nobler deed, From the thousands He hath freed.
- 2 Jesu's only name is given Unto mortals under heaven, Which can make the dead arise, And exalt them to the skies.
- 3 Joyfully for Jesu's name Bear the cross, endure the shame: Joyfully for Him to die Is not death, but victory.
- 4 Jesu, who dost condescend To be called the sinner's Friend, Hear us as to Thee we pray, Glorying in Thy name to-day.
- 5 Glory to the Father be, Glory, Holy Son, to Thee, Glory to the Holy Ghost, From the saints and angel-host!

John Chandler (tr.), 1837. (a.)





214 Heb. xii. 2. "Looking unto Jesus."

1 LORD, as to Thy dear cross we flee, And plead to be forgiven, So let Thy life our pattern be, And form our souls for heaven.

2 Help us, through good report and ill, Our daily cross to bear; Like Thee, to do our Father's will, Our brethren's griefs to share.

3 Let grace our selfishness expel, Our earthliness refine; Tune CARMEL. C. M.

And kindness in our bosoms dwell, As free and true as Thine.

4 If joy shall at Thy bidding fly, And grief's dark day come on, We, in our turn, would meekly cry, "Father, Thy will be done."

5 Kept peaceful in the midst of strife, Forgiving and forgiven, Oh! may we lead the pilgrim's life, And follow Thee to heaven!

John Hampden Gurney, 1838 ...

215 Heb. xii. 3. "Consider Him."

1 HE came, whose embassy was peace,
He left His throne above,
To prove if enmity would cease
Beneath the power of love.
He came, whose errand was to give;
His hand was opened wide,
Yea, at our need, that we might live,
He gave Himself—and died.

2 What had the world for Him? 'twas meet To answer love with love, With signs of thankful joy to greet The Stranger from above. For Him! with all its proud array,

The Stranger from above.

For Him! with all its proud array,
Of kingdom, palace, tower?

He was a wanderer each day,
A mourner every hour.

Tune CARMEL. C. M. D. Or OLD NUNC DIMITTIS.

3 For Him! with all its glory spread
Before its Maker's sight;
He had not where to lay His head—
That wearied head, by night.
For Him! His days were almost past,
His sorrows well-nigh o'er?
But lo, the world will give at last,
From its abundant store!

4 The shameful cross, the piercing thorn, The vinegar and gall! The world gives these with cruel scorn, And He endures them all.

And He endures them all.

O world! that cross doth still proclaim,
On earth—in heaven above,
The story of thy guilt and shame,
The wonders of His love!

Mary Jane Walker, 1855.



- 216 John xiii. 15. "I have given you an example."
 - MY dear Redeemer and my Lord, I read my duty in Thy word; But in Thy life the law appears Drawn out in living characters.
 - 2 Such was Thy truth, and such Thy zeal, Such deference to Thy Father's will, Such love, and meekness so Divine, I would transcribe and make them mine.

Tune HERMON. L. M. Or CYPRUS.

- 3 Cold mountains and the midnight air Witnessed the fervour of Thy prayer; The desert Thy temptation knew, Thy conflict and Thy victory too.
- 4 Be Thou my pattern; make me bear More of Thy gracious image here; Then God the Judge shall own my name Amongst the followers of the Lamb!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.

VIENNA.

[H. P. 149.]

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Matt. ix. 9. "Follow Me."

- 1 FATHER of eternal grace,
 May we all resemble Thee:
 Meckly beaming in our face,
 May the world Thine image see.
- 2 Happy only in Thy love, Poor, unfriended, or unknown; Fix our thoughts on things above, Stay our hearts on Thee alone.

See Hymns 555, 933.

Tune VIENNA. 77, 77.

- 3 Humble, holy, all resigned To Thy will—Thy will be done! Give us, Lord, the perfect mind Of Thy well-beloved Son.
- 4 Counting gain and glory loss, May we tread the path He trod; Bear with Him on earth our cross, Rise with Him to Thee, our God!

James Montgomery, 1819.



(8) THE COMPASSION AND SYMPATHY OF CHRIST.

218 Titus iii. 4. "The kindness and love of God our Saviour."

Tune Caithness. C. M.

- 1 PLUNGED in a gulf of dark despair We wretched sinners lay, Without one cheerful beam of hope, Or spark of glimmering day.
- 2 With pitying eyes, the Prince of Grace Beheld our helpless grief; He saw, and—O amazing love! He came to our relief.
- 3 Down from the shining seats above With joyful haste He fled, Entered the grave in mortal flesh, And dwelt among the dead.

- 4 He spoiled the powers of darkness thus, And brake our iron chains; Jesus hath freed our captive souls From everlasting pains.
- 5 Oh! for this love let rocks and hills Their lasting silence break, And all harmonious human tongues The Saviour's praises speak.
- 6 Angels, assist our mighty joys, Strike all your harps of gold; But when you raise your highest notes, His love can ne'er be told!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.

219 Matt. viii. 17. "Himself took our infirmities."

- 1 HOW condescending, and how kind, Was God's eternal Son! Our misery reached His heavenly mind, And pity brought Him down.
- 2 When justice, by our sins provoked, Drew forth its dreadful sword, He gave His soul up to the stroke Without a murmuring word.
- 3 He sank beneath our heavy woes, To raise us to His throne; There's ne'er a gift His hand bestows, But cost His heart a groan.

Tune Caithness. C. M.

- 4 This was compassion like a God,
 That when the Saviour knew
 The price of pardon was His blood,
 His pity ne'er withdrew.
- 5 Now though He reigns exalted high, His love is still as great; Well He remembers Calvary, Nor lets His saints forcet.
- 6 Here let our hearts begin to melt,
 While we His death record,
 And, with our joy for pardoned guilt,
 Mourn that we pierced the Lord!

 Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.

220 Isa. liii. 4. "He hath borne our griefs."

- 1 A PILGRIM through this lonely world, The blessed Saviour passed; A mourner all His life was He, A dying Lamb at last.
- 2 That tender heart that felt for us, For us its life-blood gave; It found on earth no resting-place, Save only in the grave.
- 3 Such was our Lord. And shall we fear The cross with all its scorn? Or love a faithless, evil world, That wreathed His brow with thorn?

Tune Caithness. C. M. Or Carmel.

- 4 No! facing all its frowns or smiles, Like Him, obedient still, We homeward press, through storm or calm, To you celestial hill.
- 5 In tents we dwell amid the waste, Nor turn aside to roam In folly's paths, nor seek our rest Where Jesus had no home.
- 6 Dead to the world, with Him who died To win our hearts, our love, We, risen with our risen Head, In spirit dwell above.

7 By faith His boundless glory there Our wondering eyes behold, Those glories which eternal years Shall never all unfold!

Sir Edward Denny, 1837.

MELCOMBE.

[H. P. 24.]



- 221 Heb. iv. 15. "Touched with the feeling of our infirmities." Tune MELCOMBE. L.M. Or GETHSEMANE.
 - WHERE high the heavenly temple stands.
 The house of God not made with hands,
 A great High Priest our nature wears;
 The Guardian of mankind appears.
 - 2 He who, for men, their Surety stood, And poured on earth His precious blood, Pursues in heaven His mighty plan; The Saviour and the Friend of man.
 - 3 Though now ascended up on high, He bends on earth a Brother's eye; Partaker of the human name, He knows the frailty of our frame.

- 4 Our Fellow-sufferer yet retains A fellow-feeling of our pains; And still remembers, in the skies, His tears, His agonies, and cries.
- 5 In every pang that rends the heart The Man of Sorrows hath a part; He sympathises with our grief, And to the sufferer sends relief.
- 6 With boldness, therefore, at the throne, Let us make all our sorrows known, And ask the aid of heavenly power To keep us in the evil hour.

Michael Bruce, 1770. (a.)



[H. P. 62.]



Heb. iv. 16. "Grace to help in time of need."

1 WITH joy we meditate the grace Of our High Priest above; His heart is filled with tenderness, His very name is love.

2 Touched with a sympathy within, He knows our feeble frame; He knows what sore temptations mean, For He has felt the same.

3 But spotless, innocent, and pure, Our great Redeemer stood; While Satan's fiery darts He bore, And did resist to blood.

See Humn 280.

Tune Salisbury. C. M.

4 He, in the days of feeble flesh, Poured out His cries and tears, And though exalted, feels afresh What every member bears.

5 He'll never quench the smoking flax, But raise it to a flame; The bruisèd reed He never breaks, Nor scorns the meanest name.

6 Then boldly let our faith address
His mercy and His power;
We shall obtain delivering grace
In each distressing hour!
Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.

(9) JESUS SEEN OF ANGELS.

223 1 Tim. iii. 16. "Seen of angels."

1 BEYOND the glittering starry skies, Far as the eternal hills, There, in the boundless worlds of light, Our dear Redeemer dwells.

2 Immortal angels, bright and fair, In countless armies shine! At His right hand, with golden harps, They offer songs Divine.

3 In all His toils and dangerous paths They did His steps attend, Oft paused, and wondered how at last This scene of love would end.

4 And when the powers of hell combined To fill His cup of woe, Their pitying eyes beheld His tears In bloody anguish flow. Tune Salisbury. C. M.

5 As on the accursed tree He hung, And darkness veiled the sky, They saw, aghast, that awful sight,— The Lord of glory die!

6 Anon He bursts the gates of death, Subdues the tyrant's power; They saw the' illustrious Conqueror rise, And hailed the blessèd hour.

7 They brought His chariot from above, To bear Him to His throne; Waved their triumphant wings, and cried, "The glorious work is done."

8 My soul the joyful triumph feels,

And thinks the moments long
Ere she her Saviour's glory sees,
And joins the rapturous song!

James Fanch, 1776; Daniel Turner, 1791. (a.)

224 Ps. xci. 11. "He shall give His angels charge over thee."
Tune DARWELL. 6666, 4444.

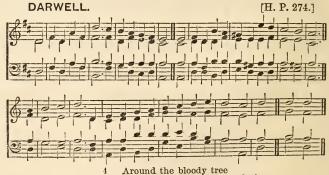
YE bright, immortal throng
Of angels round the throne,
Join with our feeble song
To make the Saviour known:
On earth ye knew His wondrous
grace;
His beauteous face In heaven ye

view.

Ye saw the heaven-born Child
In human flesh arrayed,
Benevolent and mild,
While in the manger laid:
And praise to God, And peace on
earth,

For such a birth, Proclaimed aloud.

3 Ye, in the wilderness, Beheld the tempter spoiled, Well known in every dress, In every combat foiled: And joyed to crown The Victor's head, When Satan fled Before His frown.



Ye pressed with strong desire,
That wondrous sight to see,
The Lord of life expire:
And, could your eyes Have known a tear,
Had dropped it there In sad surprise.

5 Around His sacred tomb
A willing watch ye kept;
Till the blest moment came
To waken Him that slept:
Then rolled the stone, And all adored
Your rising Lord, With joy unknown.

6 When all arrayed in light
The shining Conqueror rode,
Ye hailed His rapturous flight
Up to the throne of God;
And waved around Your golden wings,
And struck your strings Of sweetest sound.

The warbling notes pursue,
And louder anthems raise;
While mortals sing with you
Their own Redeemer's praise:
And thou, my heart, With equal flame,
And joy the same, Perform thy part!

See Hymns 753-755.

Philip Doddridge, D.D., 1755.

CRASSELIUS; or, WINCHESTER NEW.



(10) THE SUFFERINGS AND SIN-ATONING DEATH OF CHRIST.

Passion Week.

225 Zech. ix. 9. "Behold, thy King cometh."

1 RIDE on! ride on in majesty!
Hark! all the tribes Hosanna cry!
O Saviour meek, pursue Thy road,
With palms and scattered garments strowed.

2 Ride on! ride on in majesty! In lowly pomp ride on to die! O Christ! Thy triumphs now begin O'er captive death and conquered sin!

3 Ride on! ride on in majesty! The wingèd squadrons of the sky Tune Crasselius. L. M.

Look down with sad and wondering eyes To see the approaching Sacrifice!

4 Ride on! ride on in majesty! Thy last and flercest strife is nigh; The Father, on His sapphire throne, Expects His own anointed Son!

5 Ride on! ride on in majesty!
In lowly pomp ride on to die!
Bow Thy meek head to mortal pain!
Then take, O God, Thy power, and reign!
Dean Henry Hart Milman, D.D., 1827.

226 Matt. xxi. 15. "Children . . . saying, Hosanna to the Son of David."

Tune EUPHRATES. L. M.

1 WHAT are those soul-reviving strains, Which echo thus from Salem's plains? What anthems loud, and louder still, So sweetly sound from Zion's hill? Hosanna, Hosanna, Amen!

2 Lo! 'tis an infant chorus sings Hosanna to the King of kings: The Saviour comes! and babes proclaim Salvation sent in Jesu's name. Hosanna, Hosanna, Amen!

3 Nor these alone their voice shall raise, For we will join this song of praise; Still Israel's children forward press To hail the Lord their Righteousness, Hosanna, Hosanna, Amen!

4 Messiah's name shall joy impart Alike to Jew and Gentile heart: He bled for us—He bled for you, And we will sing Hosanna too. Hosanna, Hosanna, Amen!



5 Proclaim Hosannas loud and clear; See David's Son and Lord appear! All praise on earth to Him be given, And glory shout through highest heaven! Hosanna, Hosanna, Amen.

James Montgomery, 1929.



227 John xii. 3. "Mary . . . anointed the feet of Jesus."

1 ONCE did the ointment's rich perfume Anoint the blessèd Saviour's feet: Lord, let our trembling hearts presume To bring a sacrifice as sweet.

2 We would with humble joy adore, And prostrate at Thy footstool bend; Nor costly ointments need we pour In honour to the Sinners' Friend.

3 He asks the offering of the heart; He deigns to accept the contrite tear; Oh! may we bear a humble part, And bring our best affections here! Tune HERMON. L. M.

4 How blest was Martha's dear abode, With Jesus for her constant Guest; We, too, may entertain our God, And banquet at His gospel-feast.

5 Like Lazarus, at the table meet, Where faith presents her dying Lord: Like Mary, sit at Jesu's feet, To learn instruction from His word.

6 Blessèd Redeemer! Glorious King! Nourish our souls with grace Divine! Receive the sacrifice we bring, And make our hearts supremely Thine! Professor Scholefield's "Passion Week," 1836.

ST. FLAVIAN.

[H. P. 264.]



228 Luke ix. 51. "He stedfastly set His face to go to Jerusalem."
Or OLD NUNC DIMITTIS.

Tune St. Flavian. C. M. D.

1 SEE what unbounded zeal and love Inflamed the Saviour's breast, When stedfast towards Jerusalem His urgent way He pressed. Good will to man and zeal for God His every thought engross: He longs to be baptized with blood, He thirsts to reach the cross.

2 With all His sufferings full in view, And woes to us unknown. Forth to the work His spirit flew, "Twas love that urged Him on: By His obedience unto death See paradise restored, And fallen man brought face to face With his forgiving Lord.

3 Prepare us, Lord, to view Thy cross,
Who all our griefs hast borne;
To look on Thee, whom we have pierced,
To look on Thee, and mourn:
While thus we mourn, may we rejoice;
And as Thy cross we see,
May each exclaim, in faith and hope,
"The Saviour died for me!"
William Cowper, 1779; and Thomas Cotteril, 1819.

Gethsemane.

229 Phil. iii. 10. "The fellowship of His sufferings."

1 GO to dark Gethsemane,
Ye that feel the tempter's power;
Your Redeemer's conflict see;
Watch with Him one bitter hour;
Turn not from His griefs away;
Learn of Jesus Christ to pray.

2 Follow to the judgment-hall, View the Lord of life arraigned; Oh, the wormwood and the gall! Oh, the pangs His soul sustained! Shun not suffering, shame, or loss; Learn of Him to bear the cross. Tune Sihor. 77, 77, 77. Or Ratisbon.

3 Calvary's mournful mountain climb;
There, adoring at His feet,
Mark that miracle of time,
God's own sacrifice complete.
"It is finished!" hear Him cry;
Learn of Jesus Christ to die.

4 Early hasten to the tomb,
Where they laid His breathless clay;
All is solitude and gloom:
Who hath taken Him away?
Christ is risen! He meets our eyes;
Saviour, teach us so to rise!

James Montgomery, 1825.

230 John xviii. 2. "Jesus ofttimes resorted thither."

Tune Sihor. 77, 77, 77.

- 1 JESUS, while He dwelt below, As Divine historians say, To a place would often go: Near to Kedron's brook it lay: In this place He loved to be, And 'twas named Gethsemane.
- 2 'Twas a garden, as we read, At the foot of Olivet; Low, and proper to be made The Redeemer's lone retreat; When from noise He would be free, Then He sought Gethsemane.
- 3 Thither, by their Master brought,
 His disciples likewise came;
 There the heavenly truths He taught
 Often set their hearts on flame;
 Therefore they, as well as He,
 Visited Gethsemane.
- 4 Here they oft conversing sat.
 Or might join with Christ in prayer:
 Oh what blest devotion that,
 When the Lord Himself is there!
 All things to them seemed to' agree
 To endear Gethsemane.
- 5 Here no strangers durst intrude; But the Prince of Peace could sit, Cheered with sacred solitude, Wrapped in contemplation sweet; Yet how little could they see Why He chose Gethsemane!

PART II.

- 6 Full of love to man's lost race, On His conflict much He thought; This He knew the destined place, And He loved the sacred spot; Therefore 'twas He liked to be Often in Gethsemane.
- 7 They, His followers, with the rest, Had incurred the wrath Divine; And their Lord, with pity pressed, Longed to bear their load—and mine; Love to them, and love to me, Made Him love Gethsemane.
- 8 Many woes had He endured, Many sore temptations met, Patient, and to pains inured: But the sorest trial yet Was to be sustained in thee, Gloomy, sad Gethsemane!
- 9 Came at length the dreadful night, Vengeance with its iron rod Stood, and with collected might Bruised the harmless Lamb of God! See, my soul, thy Saviour see, Groaning in Gethsemane!
- 10 View Him in that olive-press,
 Pouring forth His sacred blood!
 View thy Maker's deep distress!
 Hear the sighs and groans of God!
 Then reflect what sin must be,
 Gazing on Gethsemane!







11 Oh what wonders love has done!
But how little understood!
God well knows, and God alone.
What produced that sweat of blood!
Who can thy deep wonders see?
Wonderful Gethsemane!

PART III.

- 12 There my God bore all my guilt:
 This through grace can be believed;
 But the horrors which He felt
 Are too vast to be conceived;
 None can penetrate through thee,
 Doleful, dark Gethsemane!
- 13 Gloomy garden, on thy beds,
 Washed by Kedron's waters foul,
 Grow most rank and bitter weeds:
 Think on these, my sinful soul!
 Wouldst thou sin's dominion flee?
 Call to mind Gethsemane!
- 14 Eden, from each flowery bed,
 Did for man short sweetness breathe;
 Soon, by Satan's counsel led,
 Man wrought sin, and sin wrought death:
 But of life the healing tree
 Grows in rich Gethsemane.
- 15 Sins against a holy God;
 Sins against His righteous laws;
 Sins against His love, His blood;
 Sins against His name and cause:
 Sins immense as is the sea—
 Hide me, O Gethsemane!
- 16 Saviour, all the stone remove
 From my flinty frozen heart;
 Thaw it with the beams of love,
 Pierce it with the blood-dipped dart,
 Wound the heart that wounded Thee;
 Melt it in Gethsemane!

Joseph Hart, 1759.



- 231 Matt. xxvii. 54. "Truly this was the Son of God."
 - 1 BOUND upon the' accursed tree, Faint and bleeding, who is He? By the eyes so pale and dim, Streaming blood and writhing limb, By the flesh with scourges torn, By the crown of twisted thorn, By the side so deeply pierced, By the baffled burning thirst, By the drooping death-dewed brow, Son of Man! 'tis Thou, 'tis Thou!
 - 2 Bound upon the' accursed tree, Dread and awful, who is He? By the sun at noonday pale, Shivering rocks and rending veil, Earth that trembles at His doom, By Eden, promised ere He died To the felon at His side, Lord! our suppliant knees we bow, Son of God! 'tis Thou, 'tis Thou!

Tune Calvary. 77, 77, 77, 77, 77.

PART II.

3 Bound upon the accursed tree, Sad and dying, who is He? By the last and bitter cry, The ghost given up in agony; By the lifeless body laid In the chamber of the dead; By the mourners come to weep Where the bones of Jesus sleep; Crucified! we know Thee now; Son of Man! 'tis Thou!

4 Bound upon the accursed tree,
Dread and awful, who is He?
By the prayer for them that slew,
"Lord! they know not what they do!"
By the spoiled and empty grave,
By the souls He died to save,
By the conquest He hath won,
By the saints before His throne,
By the rainbow round His brow,
Son of God! 'tis Thou, 'tis Thou!

Dean Milman, D.D., 1827.



232 Isa. liii. 4. "Stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted."

Tune Augsburg. 87, 87. D.

- 1 "CSTRICKEN, smitten, and afflicted,"
 See Him dying on the tree!
 'Tis the Christ by man rejected!
 Yes, my soul, 'tis He! 'tis He!
 'Tis the long-expected Prophet,
 David's Son, yet David's Lord:
 Proofs I see sufficient of it:
 'Tis a true and faithful word,
- 2 Tell me, ye who hear Him groaning,
 Was there ever grief like His?
 Friends through fear His cause disowning,
 Foes insulting His distress.
 Many hands were raised to wound Him,
 None would interpose to save;
 But the awful stroke that found Him
 Was the stroke that justice gave.

3 Ye who think of sin but lightly,
Nor suppose the evil great,
Here may view its nature rightly,
Here its guilt may estimate.
Mark the Sacrifice appointed!
See who bears the awful load!
Tis the Word, the Lord's Anointed,
Son of Man, and Son of God.

4 Here we have a firm foundation;
Here's the refuge of the lost:
Christ's the rock of our salvation;
His the name of which we boast.
Lamb of God for sinners wounded!
Sacrifice to cancel guilt!
None shall ever be confounded,
Who on Him their hopes have built!

Thomas Kelly, 1804.

233 John xix. 30. "It is finished." Tune St. WERBERGH. 87, 87, 47.

1 HARK! the voice of love and mercy
Sounds aloud from Calvary!
See! it rends the rocks asunder,
Shakes the earth and veils the sky!
"It is finished!"
Hear the dying Saviour cry!

2 "It is finished!" Oh what pleasure Do these precious words afford! Heavenly blessings, without measure, Flow to us from Christ the Lord: "It is finished!" Saints, the dying words record.

3 Finished! all the types and shadows
Of the ceremonial law!
Finished! all that God had promised;
Death and hell no more shall awe:
"It is finished!"
Saints, from hence your comfort draw.

4 Tune your harps anew, ye seraphs, Join to sing the pleasing theme; All on earth, and all in heaven, Join to praise Emmanuel's name! Halleluiah!

Glory to the bleeding Lamb!

Jonathan Evans, 1784.





234 1 Cor. xv. 3. "Christ died for our sins," Tune HERMON. L. M. Or GENNESARET.

1 HE dies! the Friend of sinners dies; Lo! Salem's daughters weep around: A solemn darkness veils the skies, A sudden trembling shakes the ground.

2 Come, saints, and trace in sad review His grief who groaned beneath your load: He gave His precious life for you, The ransom of your soul, to God.

3 But, lo! the Lord forsakes the tomb; In vain His foes forbid His rise; Angelic legions guard Him home, And shout Him welcome to the skies.

1 Cease, cease your tears, ye saints, and tell How high your great Deliverer reigns; Sing how He spoiled the hosts of hell, And led His captive, Death, in chains.

5 Say, "Live for ever, wondrous King, Born to redeem, and strong to save": Then ask of Death, "Oh, where 's thy sting, And where thy victory, boasting Grave?" Ver. 1, John Wesley; Isaac Watts, D.D., 1708. 235 Gal. vi. 14. "Glory . . . in the cross of our

Tune HERMON. L. M. Or GETHSEMANE.

1 WHEN I survey the wondrous cross On which the Prince of Glory died, My richest gain I count but loss, And pour contempt on all my pride.

2 Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast, Save in the death of Christ, my God; All the vain things that charm me most, I sacrifice them to His blood.

3 See from His head, His hands, His feet, Sorrow and love flow mingled down! Did e'er such love and sorrow meet, Or thorns compose so rich a crown?

4 Were the whole realm of nature mine,
That were a present far too small;
Love so amazing. so Divine,
Demands my soul, my life, my all!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.



- 236 Heb. iv. 14. "We have a great High Priest."
- 1 GREAT High Priest, we view Thee stooping, With our names upon Thy breast, In the garden, groaning, drooping,
 To the ground with horrors pressed.
 Weeping angels stood confounded
 To behold their Maker thus; And can we remain unwounded, When we know 'twas all for us?
- 2 On the cross Thy body broken Cancels every penal tie; Tempted souls, produce this token, All demands to satisfy.

Tune HAMBURG. 87, 87. D.

- All is finished; do not doubt it; But believe your dying Lord; Never reason more about it; Only take Him at His word.
- 3 Lord! we fain would trust Thee solely;
 "Twas for us Thy blood was spilt,
 Bruisèd Bridgroom, take us wholly;
 "Take and make us what Thou wilt." Thou hast borne the bitter sentence Passed on man's devoted race; True belief and true repentance
 Are Thy gifts, Thou God of Grace! Joseph Hart, 1759.

MANNHEIM.

[H. P. 303.]



237 Isa. xlv. 22. "Look unto Me, and be ye saved." Tune Mannheim. 87, 87. D. Or Hamburg.

- 1 SEE the blessed Saviour dying On the cross for ruined man; There the willing spotless Victim, Working out redemption's plan; Listen to His loving accents, "Father, oh forgive!" He eries: Hark, again He speaks. "Tis finished!" Ere He bows His head and dies.
- 2 With this eruel death before Him, Every insult, pang, foreseen,
 Nought could move Him from His purpose,
 No dismay could intervene;
 Yea, and through the contradiction
 Nothing could His calmness move;
 Oh! the wondrous depths eternal
 Of His own algorithm love.

Of His own almighty love.

3 Love which made Him, "Prince of Glory," Come to die, the "Sinner's Friend," Love beyond the reach of mortals' Deepest thoughts to comprehend. Sinner, make this love thy portion, Slight not love so vast and free; Still unblest, if unforgiven, Come, the Saviour ealleth thee!

Albert Midlane, 1865.

- 238 John xix. 16. "They took Jesus, and led Him away."
 - 1 FROM Salem's gate advancing slow, A stricken One behold! What means this majesty of woe, Mysterious, manifold?
 - 2 Despised, rejected, wounded now, Bowed 'neath a cross of shame,

Tune St. MARY. C. M.

With visage marred, with bleeding brow, Know ye the Sufferer's name?

3 O Man of Sorrows !- Is this He Who human form should wear, And with transgressors numbered be. Our mighty sins to bear?

ST. MARY'S; or, HACKNEY.

[H P. 73.]



4 Yes, now I know 'tis He! 'tis He! Christ Jesus, God's dear Son; Wrapt in mortality to die For crimes that I have done.

5 O Son of God, who unto death Hast loved, so loved me, Henceforth be all my life and breath Devoted unto Thee. William Batty, 1757 .- ver. 2, 3, 5, F. R. H.

239 1 Thess. iv. 14. "We believe that Jesus died." Tune Stephanas. 83, 83, 888, 33,

1 THERE is a word I fain would speak; Jesus died.

O eyes that weep, and hearts that break: Jesus died.

No music from the quivering string Could such sweet sounds of rapture bring, Oh! may I always love to sing, Jesus died, Jesus died.

2 Though Satan seeks my soul to have: Jesus died.

Yes, Jesus died.
Yes, Jesus died my soul to save,
Jesus died.
The holy Lord, the bleeding Lamb,
The Crucified, the Great I Am:
There's life in every lovely name.
Jesus died, Jesus died.

3 And now I need not fear to pray: Jesus died.

He washes all my sins away: Jesus died.

He washes all my sins away, He is the Life, the Truth, the Way; And now to all men I can say, Jesus died, Jesus died.

4 Twill soothe my heart with death in view-Jesus died. And bear me that cold river through:

Jesus died.



That word will heaven's bright gate unclose, Release me from my mortal woes, And bear me where Thy glory glows: Jesus died, Jesus died.

Paxton Hood, 1862.

MELCOMBE.

[H. P. 24.]



240 Rom. vi. 8. "If we be dead with Christ, we believe that we shall also live with Him." Tune MELCOMBE. L. M.

1 WE sing the praise of Him who died, Of Him who died upon the cross; The sinner's hope let men deride, For this we count the world but loss.

2 Inscribed upon the cross we see, In shining letters, "God is love." He bears our sins upon the tree, He brings us mercy from above.

3 The cross! it takes our guilt away. It holds the fainting spirit up:

It cheers with hope the gloomy day, And sweetens every bitter cup.

4 It makes the coward spirit brave, And nerves the feeble arm for fight: It takes the terror from the grave, And gilds the bed of death with light.

5 The balm of life, the cure of woe, The measure and the pledge of love; The sinner's refuge here below, The angel's theme in heaven above.

Thomas Kelly, 1815.



241 Zech. xiii. 1. "A Fountain opened for sin."

1 THERE is a fountain filled with blood Drawn from Emmanuel's veins; And sinners plunged beneath that flood Lose all their guilty stains.

2 The dying thief rejoiced to see That fountain in his day; And there have I, though vile as he, Washed all my sins away!

3 Dear dying Lamb, Thy precious blood Shall never lose its power Till all the ransomed church of God Be saved to sin no more.

4 E'cr since, by faith, I saw the stream Thy flowing wounds supply,

Or LONDON NEW. Tune French. C. M.

Redeeming love has been my theme, And shall be till I die.

5 Then in a nobler, sweeter song,
I'll sing Thy power to save,
When this poor lisping, stammering tongue
Lies silent in the grave!

6 Lord, I believe Thou hast prepared, Unworthy though I be, For me a blood-bought free reward A golden harp for me.

7 'Tis strung and tuned for endless years, 'Tis strung and tuned for endless Jours,
And formed by power Divine,
To sound in God the Father's ears
No other name but Thine!
William Couper, 1772.



242 1 John i. 7. "The blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanseth us from all sin."

Tune AVEN. S. M. 1 NOT all the blood of beasts. On Jewish altars slain,

Could give the guilty conscience Or wash away the stain.

2 But Christ, the heavenly Lamb, Takes all our sins away; A Sacrifice of nobler name, And richer blood than they.

3 My faith would lay her hand On that dear head of Thine, While like a penitent I stand, And there confess my sin.

4 My soul looks back to see The burdens Thou didst bear When hanging on the cursed tree, And hopes her guilt was there.

5 Believing, we rejoice
To see the curse remove; We bless the Lamb with cheerful

And sing His bleeding love! Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.



Heb. ix. 22. "Without shedding of blood is no remission."

A LAS! and did my Saviour bleed, A And did my Sovereign die? Would He devote that sacred head For such a worm as I?

2 Was it for crimes that I had done He groaned upon the tree?

Amazing pity! grace unknown!

And love beyond degree!

3 Well might the sun in darkness hide, And shut his glories in,

See Hymn 965.

Tune CARMEL.

When God, the mighty Maker, died For man the creature's sin.

4 Thus might I hide my blushing face, While His dear cross appears, Dissolve my heart in thankfulness, And melt my eyes to tears.

5 But drops of grief can ne'er repay The debt of love I owe; Here, Lord, I give myself away; "Tis all that I can do!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.

(11) THE BURIAL OF CHRIST.

244 John xix. 42. "There laid they Jesus."
Tune REDHEAD. 77, 77, 77.

1 RESTING from His work to-day, In the tomb the Saviour lay; Still He slept, from head to feet Shrouded in the winding sheet, Lying in the rock alone, Hidden by the sealed stone.

2 Late at even there was seen,
Watching long, the Magdalene;
Early, ere the break of day,
Sorrowful, she took her way
To the holy garden glade,
Where her buried Lord was laid.

3 So with Thee, till life shall end, I would solemn vigil spend; Let me hew Thee, Lord, a shrine In this rocky heart of mine, Where, in pure embalmed cell, None but Thou may ever dwell.

4 Myrrh and spices will I bring, True affection's offering: Close the door from sight and sound Of the busy world around; And in patient watch remain Till my Lord appear again!

Thomas Whytehead, 1842.

REDHEAD.

TH. P. 288.7







245 Matt. xxviii. 6. "Come, see the place where the Lord lay." Tune CARMEL. C. M. Or FARRANT.

COME, see the place where Jesus lies:
The last sad rite is done;
With aching hearts, and weeping eyes,
The faithful few are gone.

2 They washed with tears each bloody trace On those dear limbs that lay; Then spread the napkin o'er His face, And turned and went away.

3 By the sealed stone, with grounded spears, The guards their vigil keep: They wist not other eyes than theirs Watch o'er the Sayiour's sleep. 4 All heaven above, all hell beneath— Bright hope, and blank dismay— Look on, to see if grisly death Can hold his mighty prey.

5 Now, grisly death, thy powers combine! Now gird thee to the strife! Yet needs there stronger arm than thine To keep the Lord of life.

6 Tis done! O death, thy Victor-guest Hath smoothed thy visage grim! O grave! thou place of blessed rest To all who sleep in Him!

Thomas Edwards Hankinson, 1843.

PHILADELPHIA. (HYMN CHANT.)

[H. P. VII.]



246 1 Cor. xv. 4. "He was buried."

SO rest-my Rest!
Thou ever blest!
Thy grave with sinners making:
By Thy precious death, from sin
My dead soul awaking!

Here hast Thou lain,
After much pain,
Life of my life reposing!
Round Thee now a rock-hewn grave,
Rock of Ages, closing.

3 Breath of all breath!
I know from death
Thou wilt my soul awaken!
Wherefore should I dread the grave,
Or my faith be shaken?

Tune, Hymn Chant PHILADELPHIA. 447, 76.

To me the tomb
Is but a room,
Where I lie down in Jesus!
Who by death hath conquered death,
Safely there receives us!

The body dies,
(Nought else) and lies
In dust, until victorious
From the grave, it shall arise,
Beautiful and glorious!

6 Meantime I will,
My Jesus, still
Deep in my bosom lay Thee,
Musing on Thy death; in death
Be with me, I pray Thee.

S. Frank, 1710; Richard Massie (tr.), 1856.



247 Matt. xiii. 35. "I will open My mouth in parables."

Tune KENT. C. M.

- 1 UPON the sixth day of the week The first man had his birth, In God's own image bright and pure Created from the earth.
- 2 Upon the sixth day of the week The Second Adam died, And by the Second Adam's death Man was revivified.
- 3 Upon the seventh day of the week God from His works did rest, And on that holy Sabbath day The works of God were blessed.
- 4 Upon the seventh day of the week Christ in the grave did rest.
 The grave is now a holy place;
 A sabbath for the blest.
- 5 By tasting the forbidden tree Man fell in Paradise; Upon the tree Christ tasted death, And by His death we rise.
- 6 Christ in a garden buried lay, Which spring flowers did adorn; And there our Resurrection bloomed On the bright Easter morn.
- (12) THE RESURRECTION OF CHRIST. Caster.
- 248 Luke xxiv. 34. "The Lord is risen indeed."
 Tune PISGAH. 77, 77. Or LUBECK.
 - 1 JESUS Christ is risen to-day-Our triumphant holy day; Who did once upon the cross Suffer to redeem our loss.

Halleluiah!

Hallelujah!

- 2 Hymns of praise then let us sing Unto Christ our heavenly King Unto Christ our neavenry man, Who endured the cross and grave,
 Who endured the cross and grave,
 Hallelujah! Sinners to redeem and save.
- 3 But the pains which He endured. Our salvation have procured: Now above the sky He's king, Where the angels ever sing.

4 Sing we to our God above Praise eternal as His love; Praise Him, all ye heavenly host, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Hallelujah! From Latin Hymn of 15th Century.

- 7 The grave itself a garden is, Where loveliest flowers abound: For Christ our amaranthine Life Sprang from the holy ground.
 - 8 He by the Spirit once was born Pure from the Virgin's womb, And by the Spirit once again Born from the virgin tomb.
- 9 Oh give us grace to die to sin, That we, O Lord, may have A holy, happy rest with Thee, A sabbath, in the grave.
- 10 Oh may we buried be with Thee, And with Thee, Lord, arise To an eternal Easter-day Of glory in the skies!

Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1862.





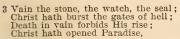
Mark xvi. 6. "He is risen." LUBECK. 77, 77. Or 249 Tune LUBECK. Or ABILENE.

1 "CHRIST, the Lord, is risen to-day," Sons of men and angels say: Raise your songs and triumphs high;

Sing, ye heavens! thou earth, reply. Hallelujah! 2 Love's redeeming work is done, Fought the fight, the battle won; Lo! our sun's eclipse is o'er;

Lo! he sets in blood no more.

Hallelujah!



Hallelujah!

4 Lives again our glorious King! Where, O Death! is now thy sting? Once He died, our souls to save; Where thy victory, O Grave?

Hallelujah!

5 Soar we now where Christ hath led, Following our exalted Head;
Made like Him, like Him we rise;
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies. Hallelujah!

6 Hail the Lord of earth and heaven! Praise to Thee from both be given; Thee we greet triumphant now, Hail, the Resurrection, Thou!

Hallelujah! Amen. Charles Wesley, 1739.





5 Jesus lives! to Him the throne Over all the world is given:
May we go where He is gone,
Rest and reign with Him in heaven. Rev. i. 18. "I am He that liveth."
Tune SALMON. 78, 78.

JESUS lives! no longer now Can thy terrors, Death, appal us; Jesus lives! by this we know Thou, O Grave, canst not enthral us. Alleluia!

2 Jesus lives! henceforth is death But the gate of life immortal; This shall calm our trembling breath, When we pass its gloomy portal. Alleluia!

3 Jesus lives! for us He died: Then alone to Jesus living, Pure in heart may we abide, Glory to our Saviour giving. Alleluia!

4 Jesus lives! our hearts know well Nought from us His love can sever; Life, nor death, nor powers of hell Tear us from His keeping ever. Alleluia!

6 Praise the Father; praise the Son, Who to us new life hath given; Praise the Spirit, Three in One, All in earth and all in heaven. Alleluia! C. F. Gellert, 1757; F. E. Cox (tr.), 1841.

Ps. cxviii. 24. "This is the day which the Lord 251 PS. CXVIII. 24. hath made, we will rejoice and be glad in it.

Tune CHALDEA. 1 O SONS and daughters, let us sing!

The King of Heaven, the glorious King, O'er death to-day rose triumphing. Alleluia!

2 On Sunday morn, at break of day, The faithful women went their way To seek the tomb where Jesus lay. Alleluia!

3 An angel clad in white they see, Who sat and spake unto the three, "Your Lord doth go to Galilee." Alleluia!

4 That night the' apostles met in fear; Amidst them came the Lord most dear, And said, "My peace be on all here." Alleluia!

5 When Didymus the tidings heard,

He doubted if it were the Lord, Until He came and spake the word: Alleluia! "My piercèd side, O Thomas, see; My hands, My feet, I show to thee; Nor faithless, but believing be."

Alleluia! No longer Thomas then denied ;

He saw the feet, the hands, the side; "Thou art my Lord and God," he cried. Alleluia!

8 How blest are they who do not see, And yet whose faith is firm in Thee, For they shall live eternally. Alleluia!



9 On this most holy day of days, To Thee our heart and voice we raise Alleluia! In laud, and jubilee, and praise.

10 Glory to Father, and to Son Who has for us the victory won, And Holy Ghost; blest Three in One. Alleluia! Twelfth Century; tr. John Mason Neale, D.D., 1861. 252 Luke xxiv. 27. "He expounded in all the Scriptures the things concerning Himself."

Tune MEROM. 887. D.

1 IN Thy glorious Resurrection,
Lord, we see a world's erection,
Man in Thee is glorified.
Bliss, for which the patriarchs panted,
Joys, by holy psalmists chanted,
Now in Thee are verified!

2 Oracles of former ages, Veiled in dim prophetic pages, Now lie open to the sight; Now the types, which glimmered darkling In the twilight gloom, are sparkling In the blaze of noonday light.

3 Isaac from the wood is risen; Joseph issues from the prison; See the Paschal Lamb which saves; Israel through the sea is landed, Pharaoh and his hosts are stranded, And o'erwhelmed in the waves.

4 See the cloudy pillar leading, Rock refreshing, manna feeding; Joshua fights and Moses prays; See the lifted wave-sheaf, cheering Pledge of harvest-fruits appearing, Joyful dawn of happy days.

PART II.

5 Samson see at night uptearing Gaza's brazen gates, and bearing To the top of Hebron's hill; Jonah comes from stormy surges, From his three-days' grave emerges, Bids beware of coming ill.

6 So Thy Resurrection's glory Sheds a light on ancient story; And it easts a forward ray, Beacon light of solemn warning, To the dawn of that great Morning Ushering in the Judgment day.



Thou the nations art baptizing
In Thy death's similitude;
Dead to sin, and ever dying,
And our members mortifying,
May we walk with life renewed!

8 Forth from Thy first Easter going, Sundays are for ever flowing Onward to a boundless sea; Lord, may they for Thee prepare us, On a holy river bear us To a calm eternity!

Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1862.



253 John xi. 25. "I am the Resurrection, and the Life."

ALL hail, Thou Resurrection!
All hail, Thou Life and Light!
All hail, Thou Self Perfection,
Sole Source of grace and might!
Thy church, O Christ, now greets Thee,
Uprising from the grave
And every eye that meets Thee
Beholds Thee strong to save.

2 All hail, beloved Jesus! For Thou, indeed, art He Whose death from sin now frees us, Whose life brings liberty. Tune Mahanaim. 76, 76. D.

Hence, let our faith embrace Thee With warmest hand and eye, And then delight to trace Thee Ascending up on high.

3 O Saviour, come in glory
To raise Thy holy dead,
And end redemption's story,
With crowns upon Thy head.
Then robed in white before Thee,
Without one stain or tear,
Shall all Thy saints adore Thee,
Midst wonder, love, and fear.
William Henry Havergal, 1867.



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1 Pet. i. 3. "A lively hope by the Resurrection."

Tune SHEN. 15 15, 15 15,

1 HALLELUJAH! Hallelujah! Hearts to heaven and voices raise!
Sing to God a hymn of gladness, sing to God a hymn of praise! He who on the cross a Victim for the world's salvation bled.

Jesus Christ, the King of Glory, now is risen from the dead.

2 Now the iron bars are broken, Christ from death to life is born, Glorious life, and life immortal, on this holy Easter morn:

Christ has triumphed, and we conquer by His mighty enterprise,
We with Him to life eternal by His resurrection rise.

3 Christ is risen, Christ the first-fruits of the holy

harvest-field, Which will all its full abundance at His second coming yield;

Then the golden ears of harvest will their heads before Him wave, Ripened by His glorious sunshine, from the furrows of the grave.

4 Christ is risen: we are risen! Shed upon us heavenly grace, Rain and dew and gleams of glory from the brightness of Thy face

That we, Lord, with hearts in heaven, here on earth may fruitful be,

And by angel-hands be gathered, and be ever safe with Thee.

5 Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Glory be to God on high; Hallelujah to the Saviour, who has gained the victory

Hallelujah to the Spirit, Fount of Love and Sanctity; Hallelujah! Hallelujah! to the Triune Majesty! Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1862,

255 Acts xvii. 3. "Christ must needs have . . . risen again."

Tune REPHAIM. 77,77. Or LUBECK.

1 CHRIST the Lord is risen again, Christ hath broken every chain; Hark, angelic voices cry, Singing evermore on high-Hallelujah!

2 He who gave for us His life. Who for us endured the strife,

Is our Paschal Lamb to-day; We too sing for joy and say Hallelujah! 3 He who bore all pain and loss,

Comfortless upon the cross, Lives in glory now on high, Pleads for us and hears our cry. Halleluiah! 4 He who slumbered in the grave

Is exalted now to save; Now through Christendom it rings That the Lamb is King of kings. Hallelujah!

5 Now He bids us tell abroad How the lost may be restored, How the penitent forgiven, How we too may enter heaven. Hallelujah!

6 Thou our Paschal Lamb indeed : Christ, Thy ransomed people feed; Take our sins and guilt away, Let us sing by night and day, Hallelujah! Michael Weiss, 1531; C. Winkworth (tr.), 1858.





256 Mark xvi. 6. "Behold the place where they laid Him."

Tune REGENT SQUARE. 87,87,47.

- COME, ye saints, look here and wonder, See the place where Jesus lay; He has burst His bands asunder; He has borne our sins away; Joyful tidings!
 Yes, the Lord is risen to-day.
- 2 Jesus triumphs! sing ye praises:
 By His death He overcame:
 Thus the Lord His glory raises;
 Thus He fills His foes with shame:
 Sing ye praises!
 Praises to the Victor's name.
- 3 Jesus triumphs! countless legions Come from heaven to meet their King: Soon in yonder blessed regions They shall join His praise to sing. Songs eternal

Shall through heaven's high arches ring.

Thomas Kelly, 1809.

257 Eph. iv. 8. "He led captivity captive."

Tune DARWELL. 6666,88.

THE happy morn is come;
Triumphant o'er the grave,
The Saviour leaves the tomb,
Omnipotent to save:
Captivity is captive led;
For Jesus liveth, that was dead.

Who now accuse th them,
For whom their Ransom died?
Who now shall those condemn
Whom God hath justified?
Captivity is captive led;
For Jesus liveth, that was dead.

3 Christ hath the ransom paid;
The glorious work is done;
On Him our help is laid,
By Ilim our victory won:
Captivity is captive led;
For Jesus liveth, that was dead!
Thomas Haveis, LL.D., 1792.



258 Matt. xxviii. 8. "They departed from the sepulchre with great joy."

Tune HERMAS. 65,65. D.

1 66 WELCOME, happy morning!" Age to age shall say;
Hell to-day is vanquished, heaven is won to-day!
Lo! the Dead is living, God for evermore!
Him their true Creator all His works adore!
"Welcome, happy morning!" Age to age shall

say; Hell to-day is vanquished, heaven is won to-day!

2 Earth with joy confesses, clothing her for spring, All good gifts returned with her returning King; Bloom in every meadow, leaves on every bough, Speak His sorrow ended, hail His triumph now.

Welcome, happy morning! etc.

3 Months in due succession, days of lengthening light,
Hours and passing moments praise Thee in their flight;
Brightness of the morning, sky, and fields, and

sea.
Vanquisher of darkness, bring their praise to Thee!
Welcome, happy morning! etc.

4 Maker and Redeemer, Life and Health of all, Thou, from heaven beholding human nature's fall, Of the Father's Godhead true and only Son, Manhood to deliver, manhood didst put on. Welcome, happy morning! etc.



- 5 Thou, of life the Author, death didst undergo, Tread the path of darkness, saving strength to show: Come then, True and Faithful, now fulfil Thy word; 'Tis Thine own third morning; rise, my buried Lord!
 - Welcome, happy morning! etc.
- chain; All that now is fallen raise to life again;
 Show Thy face in brightness, bid the nations see;
 Bring again our daylight; day returns with Thee.
 Welcome, happy morning! etc.

6 Loose the hearts long prisoned, bound with Satan's

Venantius Fortunatus, Sixth Century; John Ellerton (tr.), 1869.



259 John xx. 20. "Then were the disciples glad."

- COME, see the place where Jesus lay,
 And hear angelic watchers say,
 "He lives who once was slain;
 Why seek the living 'midst the dead?
 Remember how the Saviour said
 That He would rise again."
- 2 O joyful sound! O glorious hour! When Jesus, by almighty power, Revived and left the grave. In all His works behold Him great! Before, almighty to create! Almighty now to save!
- 3 "The First Begotten from the dead,"
 Behold Him risen, His people's Head!
 To make their life secure. They too, like Him, shall yield their breath, Like Him, shall burst the bands of death: Their resurrection sure.

Tune MAGDALENE COLLEGE.

- 4 Why should His people now be sad? None have such reason to be glad, As reconciled to God. Jesus, the mighty Saviour, lives; To them eternal life He gives, The purchase of His blood.
- 5 Why should His people fear the grave? Since Jesus will their spirits save, And raise their bodies too. What though this earthly house shall fail? Almighty power will yet prevail, And build it up anew.
- 6 Ye ransomed, let your praise resound, And in your Master's work abound, Steadfast, inmovable: Be sure your labour's not in vain; Your bodies shall be raised again, No more corruptible!

Thomas Kelly, 1809. (a.)



Luke xxiv. 34. "The Lord is risen indeed."

1 "THE Lord is risen indeed!"
And are the tidings true?
Yes, they beheld the Saviour bleed,
And saw Him living too.

- 2 "The Lord is risen indeed," Then Justice asks no more; Mercy and Truth are now agreed, Who stood opposed before.
- 3 "The Lord is risen indeed,"
 Then is His work performed,
 The captive Surety now is freed,
 And death, our foe, disarmed.
- 4 "The Lord is risen indeed,"
 Then hell has lost his prey;
 With Him is risen the ransomed seed,
 To reign in endless day.

Tune AVEN. S. M.

- 5 "The Lord is risen indeed,"
 He lives to die no more;
 He lives, the sinner's eause to plead,
 Whose curse and shame He bore.
- 6 "The Lord is risen indeed,"
 This yields my soul a plea;
 He bore the punishment decreed,
 And satisfied for me.
- 7 "The Lord is risen indeed"; Attending angels, hear, Up to the courts of heaven with speed The joyful tidings bear.
- 8 Then take your golden lyres,
 And strike each cheerful chord;
 Join, all the bright celestial choirs,
 To sing our risen Lord!
 Thomas Kelly, 1804.

Ps. lvii. 8. "Awake up, my glory."
Tune CHALDEA. 888.

- 1 THE strife is o'er, the battle done,
 The triumph of the Lord is won,
 Oh! let the song of praise be sung—
 Alleluia!
- 2 The powers of death have done their worst, And Jesus hath His foes dispersed; Let shouts of praise and joy outburst— Alleluia!
- 3 On that third morn He rose again, In glorious majesty to reign; Oh! let us swell the joyful strain—

4 He elosed the yawning gates of hell,
The bars from heaven's high portals fell;
Let songs of joy His triumphs tell—
Alleluia!

5 Lord, by the stripes which wounded Thee, From death's dread sting Thy servants free, That we may live and sing to Thee, Alleluia! Twelfth Century; tr. Francis Pott, 1860. CHALDEA. [H. P. 216.]

Sunday before Ascension Day.

Alleluia!



262 John xiv. 18. "I will not leave you comfortless."

- 1 THOU bidd'st us "visit in distress The widow and the fatherless"; And wilt Thou leave us comfortless? Wilt Thou depart?
- 2 Wilt Thou, O Lord, Thy church forsake? Must she a widow's garment take? Wilt Thou Thy children orphans make? O grief of heart!

Tune TROYTE'S HYMN CHANT.

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3 No: Christ will visit in distress The widow and the fatherless; Seeming to leave you comfortless, He loves you most.

4 For He departs, that He may send Another Comforter and Friend, To tarry with you till the end; The Holy Ghost.

- 5 At Thy first birth, Thou, Lord, didst wait, And forty days from it didst date, And then Thy Zion's temple gate Did welcome Thee.
- 6 Old age with joy saw Thee appear, And widowhood found comfort there; Perhaps the doves, then offered, were A prophecy.
- 7 And now the fortieth from Thy birth, To endless life, from womb of earth, Will be a day of joy and mirth In realms above.

- 8 For though Thy earthly course will end, To Zion's gates Thou wilt ascend, To be our great High Priest, and send The Heavenly Dove.
- 9 Why then this sorrow and dismay? Tis good that He should go away; He goes, that He for you may pray, And never cease;
- 10 He goes as man, that you may see By faith His present Deity; That here the Comforter may be, And give you peace!

Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1862.

Rogation Days, being the Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday before Ascension Day.



263 ¹ Tim. ii. 1, 2. "I exhort . . that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks, be made for all mcn."
Tune, HYMN CHANT SMYRNA. S. M. Or ARMAGEDDON.

- 1 FATHER, we humbly pray
 To Thee in whom we live;
 Our countless sins, for Jesu's sake,
 Forgive, O Lord, forgive!
- 2 We have unthankful been For all Thy tender care; Thy indignation we deserve; But spare, O Father, spare!
- 3 The creatures of Thy hand Made for Thy glory are; But we Thy creatures have abused: Spare us, O Father, spare!
- 4 From plague and pestilence, From famine, fire, and sword, From storm and flood, from dearth and drought, Deliver us, O Lord!
- 5 From hard and stubborn hearts, That scorn Thy holy Word, From discord, strife, and heresy, Deliver us, O Lord!
- 6 With genial rains and dews Enrich the circling year, With golden sunshine and fresh breeze; Hear us, O Father, hear!
- 7 Sheepfolds and garners fill, The homestead and the stall; Orchards and gardens crown with fruits, Maker and Lord of all!
- PART II.

 8 Love in our households breathe;
 Hearts ready to obey
 As in Thy sight, and as to Thee,
 Give us, O Lord, we pray.
- 9 Bless, Lord, our gracious Queen, With Thy best bounties bless; Grant her a long and glorious reign In peace and quietness.
- 10 Bless, Lord, Thy holy Church, With heavenly graces bless, That it may flourish and abound In love and godliness,

- 11 Bishops and Clergy bless;
 Holy, and grave, and wise,
 Faithful and zealous, may they be
 In all their ministries.
- 12 Our ancient minsters bless,
 Where deep-toned organs peal;
 And village churches among trees,
 Where humble peasants kneel.
- 13 Our schools of learning bless, Our Colleges and Halls; May piety and wisdom dwell Alway within their walls!
- 14 Counsel in Senates give,
 Justice and Law maintain;
 And make contentment in all hearts
 And loyalty to reign.

PART III.

- 15 Our Fleets and Armies bless
 With courage from on high;
 And in all just and righteous wars
 Give them the victory.
- 16 The Widow desolate,
 The Children fatherless,
 All who in grief and sorrow are,
 O comfort, Lord, and bless.
- 17 The erring and in sin,
 All, Lord, who from Thee stray,
 Bring them, O bring them back again,
 To Thy most holy way.
- 18 All who to heathen climes
 Go forth and preach Thy Word,
 And bear glad tidings of good things,
 Speed them, and help them, Lord!
- 19 May all who sit in gloom
 Thy glorious light behold;
 One faith, one Father, and one Lord,
 One Shepherd and one fold!
- 20 So may we all with Christ
 To highest heaven ascend,
 And Hallelujahs sing to Thee
 Through ages without end!

Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1962.



(13) THE ASCENSION OF CHRIST.

264 Ps. xxiv. 7. "The King of Glory shall come in." Tune SHEN. 15 15, 15 15,

1 SEE the Conqueror mounts in triumph, see the King in royal state, Riding on the clouds His chariot, to His heavenly palace gate: [sing, Hark, the quires of angel voices joyful Hallelujahs And the portals high are lifted, to receive their heavenly King.

2 Who is this that comes in glory, with the trump of jubilee? [victory; Lord of battles, God of armies, He has gained the He who on the cross did suffer, He who from the grave arose,

He has vanquished sin and Satan, He by death has spoiled His foes.

3 While He raised His hands in blessing, He was

parted from His friends; While their eager eyes behold Him, He upon the clouds ascends;

He who walked with God, and pleased Him, preaching truth and doom to come, He, our Enoch, is translated to His everlasting home.

4 Now our heavenly Aaron enters, with His blood, within the veil;
Joshua now is come to Canaan, and the kings before Him quail;
Now He plants the tribes of Israel in their promised resting place;
[grace.]
Now our great Elijah offers double portion of His

5 Thou hast raised our human nature in the clouds to God's right hand, There we sit in heavenly places, there with Thee

in glory stand; Jesus reigns, adored by angels; man with God is

on the throne; Mighty Lord, in Thine Ascension we by faith behold our own!

PART II.

6 Holy Ghost, Illuminator, shed Thy beams upon Holy Gross, Thurmett, our eyes;
Melp us to look up with Stephen, and to see beyond the skies,
Where the Son of man in glory standing is at
God's right hand,
Beckoning on His martyr army, succouring His
faithful band.

7 See Him, who is gone before us, heavenly mansions to prepare,

See Him, who is ever pleading for us, with pre-

vailing prayer;
See Him, who with sound of trumpet and with
His angelic train,
Summoning the world to judgment, on the clouds

will come again!

8 Lift us up from earth to heaven, give us wings of

faith and love,
Gales of holy aspirations wafting us to realms above;
That with hearts and minds uplifted, we with
Christ our Lord may dwell,

Where He sits enthroned in glory, in His heavenly citadel.

9 So at last, when He appeareth, we from out our graves may spring,
With our youth renewed like eagles, flocking

round our heavenly King,
Caught up on the clouds of heaven, and may meet
Him in the air,
Rise to realms where He is reigning, and may
reign for ever there.

10 Glory be to God the Father, glory be to God the Son, Dying, risen, ascending for us, who the heavenly realm has won; [Three, Glory to the Holy Spirit; to one God in Persons Glory both in earth and heaven, glory, endless

glory be. Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1862.

Eph. iv. 8. "He ascended up on high."

1 GOLDEN harps are sounding, Angel voices ring, Pearly gates are opened,-Opened for the King; Christ, the King of Glory, Jesus, King of Love, Is gone up in triumph To His throne above.

2 He who came to save us, He who bled and died. Now is crowned with glory At His Father's side. Never more to suffer,

Never more to die: Jesus, King of Glory, Is gone up on high.

Chorus.—All His work is ended, Joyfully we sing, Jesus hath ascended! Glory to our King!

Tune HERMAS. 65, 65. D.

3 Praying for His children. In that blessed place, Calling them to glory,
Sending them His grace;
His bright home preparing, Faithful ones, for you; Jesus ever liveth, Ever loveth too.

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1871.



266 Ps. xxiv. 8. "Who is this King of Glory?" 1 LIFT up your heads, eternal gates;
The King of glory—see, He comes,
With His celestial train!

Who is the King of glory? Who? The Lord for strength renowned: In battle mighty; o'er His foes Eternal Victor crowned!

2 Lift up your heads, ye heavenly In state to entertain Igates. The King of glory—lo! He comes, With all His ransomed train!

Tune EDEN. C. M.

Who is the King of glory? Who? The Lord of hosts renowned; Triumphant over sin and death, Eternal Victor crowned!

Tate and Brady, 1696.

267 Luke xxiv. 51. "While He blessed them, He was parted from them, and carried up into heaven.' Tune PISGAH. Or LUBECK. 77, 77.

- 1 HAIL the day that sees Him rise, Parted from our wishful eyes! Christ, awhile to mortals given, Re-ascends His native heaven:
- 2 There the glorious triumph waits; Lift your heads, eternal gates! Wide unfold the radiant scene, Take the King of glory in.
- 3 See, the heaven its Lord receives! Yet He loves the earth He leaves; Though returning to His throne, Still He calls mankind His own.
- 4 See, He lifts His hands above! See, He shows the prints of love! Hark, His gracious lips bestow Blessings on His church below!
- 5 Still for us He intercedes; Still His death prevailing pleads: Near Himself prepares our place, Harbinger of human race.
- 6 What, though parted from our sight, Grant our hearts may thither rise, Following Thee beyond the skies.
- 7 Ever upward let us move, On the wings of faith and love; Looking when our Lord shall come, Longing for our heavenly home.



8 There we shall with Thee remain, Partners of Thine endless reign; There Thy face unclouded see, Find our heaven of heavens in Thee! Charles Wesley, 1739. (a.) Heb. ii. 9. "Crowned with glory and honour."
Tune PHARPAR. 77, 77, 77. Or NASSAU.

1 GLORY, glory to our King! Crowns unfading wreathe His head. Jesus is the name we sing; Jesus risen from the dead; Jesus, Conqueror o'er the grave; Jesus, mighty now to save.

2 Jesus is gone up on high;
Angels come to meet their King;
Shouts triumphant rend the sky,
While the Victor's praise they sing:
"Open now, ye heavenly gates!
"Tis the King of glory waits."

3 Now behold Him high enthroned! Glory beaming from His face; By adoring angels owned, God of holiness and grace: Oh for hearts and tongues to sing, "Glory, glory to our King."

4 Jesus, on Thy people shine!
Warm our hearts and tune our tongues!
That with angels we may join,
Share their bliss and swell their songs.
Glory, honour, praise, and power,
Lord, be Thine for evermore!

Thomas Kelly, 1804.





269 Eph. iv. 8. "He led captivity captive, and gave gifts unto men."

Tune REPHAIM. 77, 77.

1 SING, O heavens! O earth, rejoice!
Angel harp and human voice,
Round Him, as He rises, raise
Your ascending Saviour's praise.

Hallelujah!

2 Bruisèd is the serpent's head, Hell is vanquished, death is dead; And to Christ, gone up on high, Captive is captivity.

Hallelujah!
3 All His work and warfare done,
He into His heaven is gone,
And head begins I have though

He into His heaven is gone, And beside His Father's throne Now is pleading for His own:

Hallelui

Hallelujah!

4 Asking gifts for sinful men, That He may come down again, And, the fallen to restore, In them dwell for evermore.

Hallelujah!

5 Sing, O heavens! O earth, rejoice!
Angel harp and human voice,
Round Him, in His glory, raise
Your ascended Saviour's praise.
Hallelujah!

John S. B. Monsell, LL.D., 1863.

270 Ps. lxviii. 18. "Thou hast ascended on high." Tune MASSAH. S. M. D.

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THOU art gone up on high,
To mansions in the skies;
And round Thy throne unceasingly
The songs of praise arise.
But we are lingering here
With sin and care oppressed;
Lord, send Thy promised Comforter,
And lead us to Thy rest.





- 2 Thou art gone up on high; But Thou didst first come down, Through earth's most bitter agony
 To pass unto Thy crown;
 And girt with griefs and fears
 Our onward course must be; But only let that path of tears Lead us at last to Thee!
- 3 Thou art gone up on high; But Thou shalt come again,
 With all the bright ones of the sky
 Attendant in Thy train.
 Oh, by Thy saying power
- So make us live and die,
 That we may stand, in that dread hour,
 At Thy right hand on high! Emma Toke, 1851.

CRASSELIUS; or, WINCHESTER NEW. TH. P. 3.7

27] Job xix. 25. "I know that my Redeemer liveth." Tune Crasselius. L. M. Or Waldeck. Or Hebron.

1 I KNOW that my Redeemer lives! What comfort this sweet sentence gives! He lives! He lives! who once was dead; He lives, my ever-living Head!

2 He lives-triumphant from the grave, He lives—eternally to save, He lives—all glorious in the sky, He lives-exalted there on high.

3 He lives-to bless me with His love, He lives—to plead for me above, He lives—my hungry soul to feed, He lives—to help in time of need.

4 He lives-to grant me rich supply, He lives—to guide me with His eye, He lives—to comfort me, when faint, He lives—to hear my soul's complaint.

5 He lives—to crush the power of hell, He lives—that He may in me dwell, He lives—to heal, and make me whole, He lives—to guard my feeble soul.

PART II.

6 He lives-to silence all my fears, He lives—to stay and wipe my tears, He lives—to soothe my troubled heart, He lives—all blessings to impart.

7 He lives—my kind, my faithful Friend, He lives—and loves me to the end, He lives—and while He lives, I'll sing, He lives-my Prophet, Priest, and King.

8 He lives—and grants me daily breath, He lives—and I shall conquer death. He lives—my mansion to prepare, He lives—to bring me safely there.

9 He lives-all glory to His name! He lives—my Jesus, still the same! Oh! the sweet joy this sentence gives, "I know that my Redeemer lives!"

Samuel Medley, 1800.

Rom. viii. 33. "Who shall lay anything to the charge of God's elect?" Or HEBRON. Or OLD HUNDREDTH.

Tune CRASSELIUS. L. M.

1 WHO shall the Lord's elect condemn? 'Tis God that justifies their souls; And mercy, like a mighty stream, O'er all their sins divinely rolls.

2 Who shall adjudge the saints to hell? Tis Christ that suffered in their stead; And the salvation to fulfil, Behold Him rising from the dead!

3 He lives! He lives! and sits above. For ever interceding there; Who shall divide us from His love? Or what shall tempt us to despair?

4 Shall persecution, or distress? Famine, or sword, or nakedness?
He, that hath loved us, bears us through,
And makes us more than conquerors too.

5 Not all that men on earth can do, Nor powers on high, nor powers below, Shall cause His mercy to remove, Or wean our hearts from Christ, our love!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.



273 John xiv. 2. "I go to prepare a place for you."

AND art Thou, gracious Master, gone,
A A mansion to prepare for me?
Shall I behold Thee on Thy throne,
And there for ever sit with Thee?
Then let the world approve or blame,

I'll triumph in Thy glorious name.

2 Should I, to gain the world's applause,
Or to escape its angry frown,
Refuse to countenance Thy cause,
And make Thy people's lot my own,
What shame would fill me in that day
When Thou Thy glory wilt display!

3 And what is man, or what his smile? The terror of his anger what? Like grass he flourishes awhile, But soon his place shall know him not. Tune MAON. 88, 88, 88.

Through fear of such a one shall I The Lord of heaven and earth deny?

4 No; let the world cast out my name, And vile account me if it will, If to confess my Lord be shame, Oh, then would I be viler still! For Thee, my God, I all resign, Content that I can call Thee mine.

5 What transport then will fill my heart,
When Thou my worthless name wilt own,
When I shall see Thee as Thou art,
And know as I myself am known;
When I, from sin and sorrow free,
Shall have eternal rest with Thee!

Thomas Kelly, 1840.



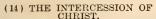
274 Rev. i. 5, 6. "Unto Him that lovel us . . be glory and dominion for ever." Tune MAHANAIM. 76, 76. D.

1 O LORD, who now art seated Above the heavens on high (The gracious work completed For which Thou cam'st to die), To Thee our hearts are lifted, While pilgrims wandering here, For Thou art truly gifted Our every grief to share.

2 We know that Thou hast bought us, And washed us in Thy blood; We know Thy grace has brought us As "kings and priests to God": We know that soon the morning, Long looked for, hasteth near, When we, at Thy returning, In glory shall appear. So C Lord, Thy love's unbounded!
So full, so sweet, so free!
Our thoughts are all confounded
Whene'er we think of Thee.
For us Thou cam'st from heaven,
For us to bleed and die,
That, purchased and forgiven,
We might ascend on high.
4 Oh, let this love constrain us
To give our hearts to Thee;
Let nothing henceforth pain us,
But that which paineth Thee.
Our joy, our one endcavour,
Through suffering, conflict, shame—

Through suffering, conflict, shame—
To serve Thee, gracious Saviour,
And magnify Thy name.

James George Deck, 1337.



275 Heb. iv. 14. "A great High Priest that is passed into the heavens, Jesus the Son of God."

Tune St. John. 6666, 88. MIZPEH.

1 THE atoning work is done;
The Victim's blood is shed;
And Jesus now is gone,

His people's cause to plead: He stands in heaven, their great High Priest, [breast. And bears their names upon His

2 He sprinkles with His blood
The mercy-seat above;
For justice had withstood
The purposes of love;
But justice now objects no more,
And mercy yields her boundless store.

3 No temple made with hands
His place of service is;
In heaven itself He stands,—
A heavenly Priesthood His!
In Him the shadows of the law
Are all fulfilled, and now withdraw.

4 And though awhile He be
Hid from the eyes of men,—
His people look to see
Their great High Priest again:

Their great High Priest again: In brightest glory He will come, And take His waiting people home! Thomas Kelly, 1806. ST. JOHN. [H. P. 272.]

276 ¹ John ii. 1. "We have an Advocate." Tune St. John. 6666, 88.

1 ARISE, my soul, arise; Shake off thy guilty fears: The bleeding Sacrifice In my behalf appears

In my behalf appears. Before the throne my Surety stands: My name is written on His hands.

2 He ever lives above,
For me to intercede;
His dear redeeming love,
His precious blood, to plead

His precious blood, to plead:
That blood hath saved aguilty race,
And sprinkles now the throne of
grace.

3 The Father hears Him pray,— His dear Anointed One: He cannot turn away

The presence of His Son: His Spirit answers to the blood, And tells me I am born of God.

4 My God is reconciled;
His pardoning voice I hear:
He owns me for His child;
I can no longer fear:

I can no longer fear: With confidence I now draw nigh. And Father, Abba Father, cry. Charles Wesley, 1742.

GÖLDEL.

[H. P. 7.]



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Heb. ix. 24. "In the presence of God for us."

1 HE lives, the great Redeemer lives! What joy the blest assurance gives! And now before His Father, God, Pleads the full merit of His blood.

2 Repeated crimes awake our fears, And justice armed with frowns appears; But in the Saviour's beaming face Sweet mercy smiles, and all is peace. Tune GOLDEL. L. M.

3 In every dark distressful hour, When sin and Satan join their power, Let this dear hope repel the dart,— That Jesus bears us on His heart.

4 Great Advocate, Almighty Friend, On Thee alone our hopes depend; Our cause can never, never fail, For Jesus pleads, and must prevail!

Anne Steele, 1760.

PATMOS.

[H. P. 147.]

Tune Patmos. 77, 77.

- 1 PRAYING soul, dismiss thy fear:
 Joy and peace will soon appear:
 To the throne of grace draw nigh;
 Jesus intercedes on high.
- 2 Come before thy Father's throne, Make thy wants and sorrows known;

Never, never doubt His love; Jesus intercedes above.

- 3 Let the world and Satan frown; This should never cast thee down: All is working for thy good; Jesus intercedes with blood.
- 4 Do corruptions rise and rage? Learn from God's inspirèd page, Reigning grace shall sin subdue; Jesus intercedes for you.
- 5 He has made thy cause His own; He is Priest upon His throne; Thou shalt gain eternal bliss; Jesus intercedes for this. Joseph Irons, 1825.



279 John xvii. 9. "I pray for them."

- O THOU, the contrite sinner's Friend, Who. loving, lov'st him to the end, On this alone my hopes depend,—
 That Thou wilt plead for me!
- 2 When, weary in the Christian race, Far off appears my resting place, And fainting I mistrust Thy grace, Then, Saviour, plead for me!
- 3 When I have erred and gone astray, Afar from Thine and wisdom's way, And see no glimmering guiding ray, Still, Saviour plead for me!

Tune Troyte's Hymn Chant. 888, 6.

- 4 When Satan, by my sins made bold, Strives from Thy cross to loose my hold, Then with Thy pitying arms enfold, And plead, oh plead for me!
- 5 And when my dying hour draws near, Darkened with anguish, guilt, and fear, Then to my fainting sight appear, Pleading in heaven for me!
- 6 When the full light of heavenly day Reveals my sins in dread array, Say Thou hast washed them all away; Oh say Thou plead'st for me!

Charlotte Elliott, 1845.



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John xiv. 1. "Let not your heart be troubled."

Tune MAON. 88, 88, 88.

- WHEN gathering clouds around I view,
 And days are dark, and friends are few,
 On Him I lean, who not in vain
 Experienced every human pain;
 He sees my wants, allays my fears,
 And counts and treasures up my tears.
- 2 If aught should tempt my soul to stray From heavenly wisdom's narrow way; To fly the good I would pursue, Or do the sin I would not do: Still He, who felt temptation's power, Shall guard me in that dangerous hour.
- 3 If vexing thoughts within me rise, And, sore dismayed, my spirit dies, Still He, who once vouchsafed to bear The sickening anguish of despair,

- Shall sweetly soothe, shall gently dry, The throbbing heart, the streaming eye.
- 4 When sorrowing o'er some stone I bend, Which covers all that was a friend, And from his hand, his voice, his smile, Divides me for a little while, Thou, Saviour, mark'st the tears I shed, For Thou didst weep o'er Lazarus dead.
- 5 And, oh, when I have safely passed Through every conflict—but the last, Still, Lord, unchanging, watch beside My dying bed—for Thou hast died; Then point to realms of cloudless day, And wipe the latest tear away!

Sir Robert Grant, 1806.

281 Heb. vii. 25. "He ever liveth to make intercession."

1 Now I know the great Redeemer, Know He lives, and spreads His fame; Lives—and all the heavens adore Him; Lives—and earth resounds His name.

2 Yes, I know Messiah liveth,— Lives, and prays, and pleads for me; Lives, and loves, and smiles, and blesses; Lives—and sets my spirit free. Tune STUTTGARD. 87, 87.

- 3 My Redeemer lives within me, Lives—and heavenly life conveys; Lives—and glory now surrounds me; Lives—and I His name shall praise.
- 4 Pardon, peace, and full salvation From my living Saviour flow; Light, and life, and consolation, All the good I e'er can know.



1 LAMB of God! Thou now art seated
High upon Thy Father's throne;
All Thy gracious work completed,
All Thy mighty victory von:
Every knee in heaven is bending
To the Lamb for sinners slain;
From the lamb for sinners slain; Every voice and harp is swelling, "Worthy is the Lamb to reign."

2 Lord, in all Thy power and glory, Still Thy thoughts and eyes are here! Watching o'er Thy ransomed people, To Thy gracious heart so dear:

Thou for us art interceding; Everlasting is Thy love! And a blessed rest preparing In our Father's house above.

3 Lamb of God! Thou soon in glory
Wilt to this sad earth return;
All Thy foes shall quake before Thee,
All that now despise Thee, mourn:
Then Thy saints shall rise to meet Thee,—
With Thee in Thy kingdom reign; Thine the praise, and Thine the glory, Lamb of God for sinners slain! James George Deck, 1838.



83 Heb. ii. 9. "Crowned with glory and honour."

THE Head that once was crowned with thorns A royal diadem adorns
The mighty Victor's brow.

2 The highest place that heaven affords
Is His, is His by right,
"The King of kings and Lord of lords,"
And heaven's eternal light.

3 The joy of all who dwell above, The joy of all below To whom He manifests His love,

And grants His name to know.

Tune LONDON NEW. C. M. Or NOTTINGHAM.

4 To them, the cross with all its shame, With all its grace, is given;
Their name an everlasting name,
Their joy the joy of heaven.

5 They suffer with their Lord below, They reign with Him above; Their profit and their joy to know The mystery of His love.

6 The cross He bore is life and health, Though shame and death to Him: His people's hope, His people's wealth, Their everlasting theme!

Thomas Kelly, 1820.



- 284 Col. ii. 10. "The Head of all Principality and power."
 - 1 HAIL! Thou once despised Jesus!
 Hail! Thou Galilean King!
 Thou didst suffer to release us,
 Thou didst free salvation bring:
 Hail! Thou agonising Saviour,
 Bearer of our sin and shame!
 By Thy merits we find favour,
 Life is given through Thy name.
 - 2 Paschal Lamb, by God appointed, All our sins on Thee were laid, By almighty love anointed, Thou hast full atonement made. All Thy people are forgiven, Through the virtue of Thy blood; Opened is the gate of heaven; Peace is made 'tween man and God.

Tune Holy Voices. 87, 87. Or Salzburg.

- 3 Jesus, hail! enthroned in glory,
 There for ever to abide!
 All the heavenly hosts adore Thee,
 Seated at Thy Father's side.
 There, for sinners Thou art pleading,
 There, Thou dost our place prepare;
 Ever for us interceding,
 Till in glory we appear.
- 4 Worship, honour, power, and blessing,
 Thou art worthy to receive!
 Loudest praises, without ceasing,
 Meet it is for us to give.
 Help, ye bright angelic spirits!
 Bring your sweetest, noblest lays;
 Help to sing our Saviour's merits;
 Help to chant Emmanuel's praise!
 John Bakewell, 1757; Augustus M. Toplady, 1776.



285 Rev. xix. 1. "I heard a great voice of much people in heaven."

Tune GOTHA. 87, 87.

- 1 HARK! the notes of angels singing—Glory, glory to the Lamb!
 All in heaven their tribute bringing,
 Raising high the Saviour's name.
- 2 Ye for whom His life is given, Sacred themes to you belong, Come, assist the choir of heaven, Join the everlasting song.
- 3 Saints and angels, thus united, Songs imperfect still must raise; Though despised on earth and slighted, Jesus is above all praise.

- 4 See, the' angelic hosts have crowned Him, Jesus fills the throne on high: Countless myriads, hovering round Him, With His praises rend the sky.
- 5 Filled with holy emulation, Let us vie with those above; Sweet the theme—a free salvation! Fruit of everlasting love.
- 6 Endless life in Him possessing, Let us praise His glorious name, Glory, honour, power, and blessing, Be for ever to the Lamb!

Thomas Kelly, 1806.

TRYPHOSA.

[H. P. 209.]



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Rev. v. 9. "Thou hast redeemed us to God by Thy blood."

Tune TRYPHOSA. 886.

- 1 TO Him who for our sins was slain, To Him, for all His dying pain, Sing we Alleluia!
- 2 To Him, the Lamb, our Sacrifice, Who gave His life our ransom-price, Sing we Alleluia!
- 3 To Him who died, that we might die To sin, and live with Him on high, Sing we Alleluia!
- 4 To Him who rose, that we might rise, And reign with Him beyond the skies, Sing we Alleluia!

- 5 To Him who now for us doth plead, And helpeth us in all our need, Sing we Alleluia!
- 6 To Him who doth prepare on high Our home in immortality, Sing we Alleluia!
- 7 To Him be glory evermore! Ye heavenly hosts, your Lord adore! Sing we Alleluia!
- 8 To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, One God most great, our joy and boast, Sing we Alleluia! Amen.

Arthur T. Russell, 1851.

287 Rev. xix. 1. "Salvation, and glory, and honour, and power, unto the Lord our God,"

Tune Morian. 6666.88.

1 REJOICE, the Lord is King!
Your God and King adore!
Mortals, give thanks and sing,
And triumph evermore.
Lift up your heart, lift up your
voice,
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice.

2 Jesus, the Saviour, reigns
The God of truth and love;
When He had purged our stains
He took His seat above.
Lift up your heart, lift up your
voice,
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice.

- 3 His kingdom cannot fail,
 He rules o'er earth and heaven;
 The keys of death and hell
 Are unto Jesus given.
 Lift up your heart, lift up your voice,
 Rejoice, again I say, rejoice.
- 4 He sits at God's right hand,
 Till all His foes submit,
 And bow to His command,
 And fall beneath His feet.
 Lift up your heart, lift up your voice,
 Rejoice, again I say, rejoice.



- 5 He all His foes shall quell,
 Shall all our sins destroy,
 And every bosom swell
 With pure seraphic joy.
 Lift up your heart, lift up your voice,
 Rejoice, again I say, rejoice.
- 6 Rejoice, in glorious hope,
 Jesus our Lord shall come,
 And take His brethren up
 To their eternal home:
 We soon shall hear the' archangel's voice:
 How then shall all His saints rejoice!

Charles Wesley, 1745.

288 Rev. xiv. 2. "I heard the voic harpers harping with their harps." "I heard the voice of

Tune All Saints. 87, 87, 77. 1 HARK! ten thousand harps and voices Sound the note of praise above! Jesus reigns, and heaven rejoices: Jesus reigns, the God of love: Lo! He sits on yonder throne; Jesus rules the world alone.

2 Well may angels bright and glorious Sing the praises of the Lamb; While on earth, He prayed victorious; Now, He bears a matchless name: Well may angels sing of Him, Heaven supplies no richer theme.

3 Come, ye saints, unite your praises With the angels round His throne; Soon we hope our Lord will raise us To the place where He is gone. Meet it is that we should sing Glory, glory to our King.

4 Sing how Jesus came from heaven, How He bore the cross below; How all power to Him is given; How He reigns in glory now: 'Tis a great and endless theme: On 'tis sweet to sing of Him!

> PART II. 5 Jesus, hail, whose glory brightens All above, and gives it worth.
> Lord of life, Thy smile enlightens,
> Cheers, and charms Thy saints on earth When we think of love like Thine, Lord, we own it love Divine!

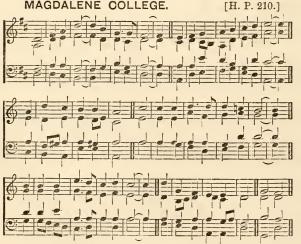
6 King of glory, live for ever, Thine an everlasting crown: Nothing from Thy love shall sever
Those whom Thou hast made Thine own!

ALL SAINTS. [H. P. 298.]

Happy objects of Thy grace, Destined to behold Thy face.

7 Saviour, hasten Thine appearing! Bring, oh bring the glorious day, When, the awful summons hearing, Heaven and earth shall pass away: Then, with golden harps, we'll sing-Glory, glory to our King!

Thomas Kelly, 1806.



Rev. v. 12. "Worthy is the Lamb." 289 Rev. v. 12. "Worting to the Lane Magdalene College, 886. D. Or KEDRON.

O BLESSED Jesus! Lamb of God! Who hast redeemed us with Thy blood From sin, and death, and shame— With joy and praise. Thy people see The crown of glory won by Thee, And worthy Thee proclaim.

2 Exalted by the Father's love, All thrones, and powers, and names above-On earth below or heaven; Wisdom and riches, power Divine, Blessing and honour, Lord, are Thine— All things to Thee are given.

3 Head of the church! Thou sittest there,
Thy bride shall all Thy glory share—
Thy fulness, Lord, is ours:
Our life Thou art—Thy grace sustains,
Thy strength in us the victory gains,
Our sin ard Satarle rewers

O'er sin and Satan's powers. Soon shall the day of glory come,
Thy bride shall reach the Father's home,
And all Thy beauty see;
And oh! what joy to see Thee shine,
To hear Thee own us, Lord, as Thine,

And ever dwell with Thee!

James George Deck, 1846.

290 Zech. vi. 13. "A Priest upon His throne." Tune GIBBONS. 77, 77.

1 PRETHREN, let us join to bless Christ the Lord, our Righteousness!

Let our praise to Him be given, High at God's right hand in heaven.

2 Son of God! to Thee we bow: Thou art Lord, and only Thou! Thou the woman's promised Seed, Glory of Thy church, and Head.

3 Thee the angels ceaseless sing; Thee we praise, our Priest and King;

Worthy is Thy name of praise, Full of glory, full of grace.

We, Thy favoured flock, adore Thee, the Lord, for evermore; Ever with us show Thy love, Till we join with those above! John Cennick, 1742.



(16) THE SECOND ADVENT OF CHRIST.

John xvi. 16. "A little while, and ye shall see Me."

Tune MAON. 88, 88, 88.

A LITTLE while," our Lord shall come,
And we shall wander here no more;
He'll take us to our Father's home,
Where He for us hath gone before—
To dwell with Him, to see His face,
And sing the glories of His grace.

2 "A little while"-He'll come again! Let us the precious hours redeem; Our only grief to give Him pain, Our joy to serve and follow Him. Watchful and ready may we be, As those who long their Lord to see.

"A little while "—'twill soon be past:
Why should we shun the shame and cross? Oh! let us in His footsteps haste, And count for Him all else but loss! Oh, how will recompense His smile, The sufferings of this "little while"!

4 "A little while "—come, Saviour, come!
For Thee Thy bride has tarried long;
Take Thy poor wearied pilgrims home,
To sing the new eternal song; To see Thy glory, and to be

In everything conformed to Thee! James George Deck, 1838. MAON (Wilderness of). [H. P. 229.]



John xvi. 18. "What is little while?" "What is this that He saith, A Tune EIRENE.

11 10, 11 10. 1 OH! for the peace which floweth as a river.

Making life's desert places bloom and smile! Oh! for the faith to grasp heaven's bright "for

Amid the shadows of earth's "little while"! 2 "A little while" for patient vigil-keeping.

To face the stern, to wrestle with the strong; "A little while," to sow the seed with weeping, Then bind the sheaves, and sing the harvest song.

3 "A little while," to wear the weeds of sadness, To pace with weary step through miry ways; Then to pour forth the fragrant oil of gladness, And clasp the girdle round the robe of praise.

4 "A little while," 'mid shadow and illusion, To strive, by faith, love's mysteries to spell; Then read each dark enigma's bright solution, Then hail sight's verdict, "He doeth all things well!



5 "A little while," the earthen pitcher taking To wayside brooks, from far-off fountains fed; Then the cool lip its thirst for ever slaking Beside the fulness of the Fountain-head.

6 "A little while," to keep the oil from failing;
"A little while," faith's flickering lamp to trim;
And then, the Bridegroom's coming footsteps hailing, To haste to meet Him with the bridal hymn.

7 And He who is Himself the Gift and Giver— The future glory and the present smile,
With the bright promise of the glad "for ever,"
Will light the shadows of the "little while." Jane Crewdson, 1863.



Phil. iv. 5. "The Lord is at hand!"
Tune Civitas Regis. 87, 87, 47.

1 CHRIST is coming! let creation
Bid her groans and travail cease;
Let the glorious proclamation
Hope restore, and faith increase—
Maranatha!* [* i.e. "Our Lord cometh"
Come, Thou blessed Prince of Peace!

2 Earth can now but tell the story
Of Thy bitter cross and pain,
She shall yet behold Thy glory,
When Thou comest back to reign.
Maranatha!
Let each heart repeat the strain!





3 Though once cradled in a manger, Oft no pillow but the sod; Here an alien and a stranger,

Mocked of men, and bruised of God-All creation

Yet shall own Thy kingly rod. 4 Long Thine exiles have been pining,

Far from rest, and home, and Thea; But in heavenly vesture shining, They shall soon Thy glory see— Maranatha!

Haste the joyous jubilee!

5 With that "blessed hope" before us. Let no harp remain unstrung,

Let the mighty Advent chorus Onward roll from tongue to tongue— Maranatha!

Come, Lord Jesus—quickly come! John Robert Macduff, D.D., 1853.

SAXONY.

[H. P. 32.]



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Zech. xiv. 5. "The Lord my God shall come."

Tune SAXONY.

1 THE Lord will come! the earth shall quake: The mountains from their centre shake; And, withering from the vault of night, The stars withdraw their feeble light.

2 The Lord will come! but not the same As once in lowly form He came-A silent Lamb to slaughter led,

The bruised, the suffering, and the dead. 3 The Lord will come! a dreadful form, With wreath of flame and robe of storm, On cherub wings and wings of wind, Anointed Judge of all mankind.

4 Can this be He, once wont to stray, A pilgrim on the world's highway By power oppressed, and mocked by pride, The Nazarene—the Crucified?

5 Go, tyrants! to the rocks complain! Go, seek the mountain's cleft in vain! But faith, victorious o'er the tomb, Shall sing for joy-the Lord is come! Bishop Heber, 1811.

EPHRON.

H. P. 57.1



Cant. v. 2. "I sleep, but my heart waketh." 297 Tune EPHRON. C. M. Or LONDON NEW.

1 CHILDREN of light, awake! awake! Go, meet the royal Bridegroom now, And show that ye are wise.

2 Like foolish virgins, ye have failed Your holy watch to keep; And lo, He comes, and almost finds Your languid souls asleep!

3 Through love, the Man of Sorrows oft Hath watched and wept for you; Then gave away His life, to prove That all that love was true.

4 Then wake, for lo, the midnight cry
Of warning in the air Bids all His church, to greet Him now,

Their dying lamps prepare! Sir Edward Denny, 1838.

298 Cant. ii. 13. "Arise, Mu love, My fair one, and come away."

Tune Ephron. Or BESOR. ¹ BRIDE of the Lamb, rejoice! rejoice! Thy midnight watch is past,

True to His promise, lo, 'tis He! The Saviour comes at last.

2 His heart, amid the blest repose And glories of the throne, With love's unwearied care, hath made Thy sorrows all its own.

3 Through days and nights of suffering, taught For human woe to feel, He only, with unerring skill.

Thy wounded heart could heal.

4 And now, at length, behold He comes To claim thee from above, In answer to the ceaseless call And deep desire of love.

5 Go then, thou loved and blessed one, Thou drooping mourner, rise! Go—for He calls thee now to share His dwelling in the skies.

6 For thee, His royal bride-for thee,

His brightest glories shine: And, happier still, His changeless heart, With all its love, is thine!

Sir Edward Denny, 1818.



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Rev. xxii. 20. "Surely I come quickly."

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Tune Paran. 12 11, 12 11.

1 LORD Jesus, come quickly, Thy bride is preparing In garments of glory before Thee to stand; Her dimmed eyes are straining to catch Thine appearing.

appearing, [hand."
Her heart bursts in rapture—"My Lord is at
2 Why linger His steps, like the morning's dawn
blushing? [dew :

To heaven like the sunlight, to earth like the Poor perishing sinners, His garment-hem touching, Stay the Lord on His path to the house of the Jew.

3 Yet hasten, we pray Thee, Thy kingdom of glory; Prepare Thine elect one, Thy blood-purchased ___ bride;

Her bliss waits completion, rejoicing before Thee, Till robed, crowned, and jewelled, she sits by Thy 4 Before Thy bright footsteps the clouds part asunder; Thy foes, from the heavens, in terror depart; While worlds stand astonished, and angels shall

While worlds stand astonished, and angels shall wonder [heart. At all Thou hast wrought for the bride of Thine

5 Then come, Lord, come quickly, the groans of creation

Respond to the tears which Thy people have shed O'er the hope, long deferred, of their blest consummation

Of glory and bliss with their covenant Head.
6 Then take, Lord, Thy kingdom, and come in Thy glory; [throne;
Make the scene of Thy sorrows the place of Thy

Make the scene of Thy sorrows the place of Thy Complete all the blessing which ages in story Have told of the triumphs so justly Thine own!

J. Groom, Leafet, 1847.

BESOR (Brook).

[H. P. 51.]

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Cant. ii. 14. "Sweet is Thy voice."
Tune BESOR. C. M.

- 1 BRIDE of the Lamb! awake, awake! Why sleep for sorrow now? The hope of glory, Christ is thine, A child of glory thou!
- 2 Thy spirit through the lonely night, From earthly joy apart, Hath sighed for One that's far away, The Bridegroom of thy heart.
- 3 But see, the night is waning fast, The breaking morn is near; And Jesus comes with voice of love, Thy drooping heart to cheer.

- 4 He comes! for oh, His yearning heart No more can bear delay, To scenes of full unmingled joy To call His bride away.
- 5 This earth, the scene of all His woe, A homeless wild to thee, Full soon upon His heavenly threne Its rightful King shall see.
- 6 Thou too shalt reign; He will not year His crown of joy alone; And earth His royal bride shall see Beside Him on the throne.
- 7 Then weep no more; 'tis all thine own,
 His crown, His joy Divine;
 And, sweeter far than all beside,
 He, He Himself is thine!
 Sir Edward Denny, 1837.

301 Rev. i. 7. "Behold, He cometh with clouds."

1 LO! He comes with clouds descending,
Once for favoured sinners slain;
Thousand, thousand saints attending,
Swell the triumph of His train;
Hallelujah!
God appears on earth to reign.

Tune Havilah. 87, 87, 47. Or St. Werbergh.

2 Every eye shall now behold Him, Robed in dreadful majesty; Those who set at nought and sold Him, Pierced, and nailed Him to the tree, Deeply walling, Shall the true Messiah see. 3 Every island, sea, and mountain,
Heaven and earth, shall flee away;
All who hate Him, must, confounded,
Hear the trump proclaim the day:
Come to judgment!
Come to judgment, come away!

4 Now redemption, long expected, See in solemn pomp appear! All His saints, by men rejected, Now shall meet Him in the air: Hallelujah!

See the day of God appear.

5 Yea, Amen, let all adore Thee, High on Thine eternal throne! Saviour, take the power and glory, Claim the kingdom for Thine own: Oh come quickly! Hallelujah! come, Lord, come!

John Cennick, 1752; C. Wesley, 1758; Martin Madan, 1760.

302 Rev. xxii. 20. "Even so, come, Lord Jesus."
Tune HAVILAH. 87, 87, 47.

1 SAVIOUR, hasten Thine appearing, Take Thy waiting people home; This sweet hope, our spirits cheering While we in the desert roam, Makes Thy people Strangers here till Thou dost come.

2 Lord, how long shall Thy creation Groan and travail sore in pain; Waiting for its sure salvation, When Thou shalt in glory reign;

And, like Eden.
This sad earth shall bloom again?
Gather, Lord, Thy chosen nation,
Israel's long afflicted race;

HAVILAH. [H. P. 192.]



Let them find Thy free salvation, Own and trust Thy wondrous grace; And, adoring,

Look on Thy once marrèd face.
4 Reign, oh reign, Almighty Saviour!
Heaven and earth in one unite;
Make it known, that in Thy favour
There alone is life and light;
When we see Thee,

We shall have unmixed delight!

James George Deck, 1846.







303 Matt. xxiv. 42. "Watch, therefore; for ye know not what hour your Lord doth come."

Tune CASSEL. 87, 87, 77.

1 NOTHING know we of the season
When the world shall pass away;
But we know the saints have reason
To expect a glorious day,
When the Saviour will return,
And His people cease to mourn.

2 While a careless world is sleeping, Then it is the day will come; Mirth will then be turned to weeping, Sinners then must meet their doom; But the people of the Lord Shall obtain their bright reward.

3 Oh what sacred joys await them!
They shall see the Saviour then;
Those who now oppose and hate them
Never can oppose again;
Brethren, let us think of this:
All is ours, if we are His.

4 Waiting for the Lord's returning, Be it ours His word to keep; Let our lamps be always burning; Let us waich while others sleep; We're no longer of the night; We are children of the light.

5 Being of the favoured number
Whom the Saviour calls His own,
'Tis not neet that we should slumber
Nothing should be left undone:
This should be His people's aim,
Still to glorify His name!

Thomas Kelly, 1809.



304 Cant. viii. 14. "Make haste, my Beloved."

1 FLY, ye seasons, fly still faster; Let the glorious day come on, When we shall behold our Master Seated on His heavenly throne; Then the Saviour Shall descend to claim His own.

2 What is earth with all its treasures
To the joy the gospel brings?
Well may we resign its pleasures,
Jesus gives us better things;
All His people
Draw from heaven's eternal springs.

Tune Magdeburg. 87, 87, 47.

3 But if here we taste of
What will heaven its

3 But if here we taste of pleasure,
What will heaven itself afford?
There our joy will know no measure;
There we shall behold our Lord;
There His people
Shall obtain their bright reward.

Or IDUMEA.

4 Fly, ye seasons, fly still faster; Swiftly bring the glorious day; Jesus, come, our Lord and Master! Come from heaven without delay; Take Thy people,

Take, oh take us hence away!

Thomas Kelly, 1809.

GILBOA (Mount).

[H. P. 11.]

305 Cant. ii. 17. "Until the day breck."
Tune GILBOA. L. M.

1 'TIS night—but oh, the joyful morn Will soon our waiting spirits cheer: Yon gleams of coming glory warn Thy saints, O Lord, that Thou art near.

2 Lord of our hearts, beloved of Thee, Weary of earth, we sigh to rest, Supremely happy, safe and free, For ever on Thy tender breast. 3 To see Thee, love Thee, feel Thee near, Nor dread, as now, Thy transient stay; To dwell beyond the reach of fear Lest joy should wane or pass away.

4 Children of hope, beloved Lord! In Thee we live, we glory now; Our joy, our rest, our great reward, Our diadem of beauty, Thou!

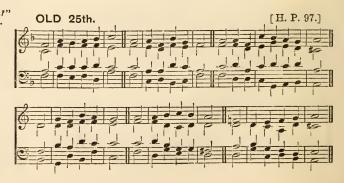
5 And when exalted, Lord, with Thee, Thy royal throne at length we share, To everlasting Thou shalt be Our diadem, our glory there!

Sir Edward Denny, 1838.

306 Rev. vi. 10. "How long, O Lord?"
Tune OLD 25TH. S. M. D.

1 THE church has waited long
Her absent Lord to see;
And still in loneliness she waits,
A friendless stranger she.
Age after age has gone,
Sun after sun has set,
And still, in weeds of widowhood,
She weeps, a mourner yet.
Come then, Lord Jesus, come!

2 Saint after saint on earth
Has lived, and loved, and died;
And as they left us one by one,
We laid them side by side.
We laid them down to sleep,
But not in hope forlorn—
We laid them but to ripen there
Till the last glorious morn.
Come then, Lord Jesus, come!





3 The serpent's brood increase,
The powers of hell grow bold,
The conflict thickens, faith is low,
And love is waxing cold.
How long, O Lord our God,
Holy, and true, and good,
Wilt Thou not judge Thy suffering
church,
Her sighs, and tears, and blood!
Come then, Lord Jesus, come!

4 We long to hear Thy voice,
To see Thee face to face,
To share Thy crown and glory then,
As now we share Thy grace.
Should not the loying bride
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The absent Bridegroom mourn?
Should she not wear the weeds of grief
Until her Lord return?
Come then, Lord Jesus, come!

5 The whole creation groans,
And waits to hear that voice
That shall restore her comeliness,
And make her wastes rejoice.
Come, Lord, and wipe away
The curse, the sin, the stain,
And make this blighted world of ours
Thine own fair world again.
Come then, Lord Jesus, come!

GLOUCESTER.

[H. P. 40.]

Horatius Bonar, D.D., 1845.



307 2 Pet. i. 19. "Until the day dawn, and the Day Star arise."

Tune Gloucester. C. M.

1 THE gloomy night will soon be past, The morning will appear; The rays of blessed light at last Each waiting eye will cheer.

2 Thou bright and Morning Star, Thy light Will to our joy be seen; Thou, Lord, wilt meet our longing sight

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Thou, Lord, wilt meet our longing sight
Without a cloud between.

3 Ah, yes! Lord Jesus, Thou, whose heart

3 Ah, yes! Lord Jesus, Thou, whose heart Still for Thy saints doth care; We shall behold Thee as Thou art, Thy perfect likeness bear. 4 Thy love sustains us on our way,
While pilgrims here below;
Thou dost, O Saviour, day by day,
The suited grace bestow.

5 But oh! the more we learn of Thee, And Thy rich mercy prove, The more we long Thy face to see, And fully know Thy love.

6 Then shine, Thou bright and Morning Star, Dispel the dreary gloom; Oh! take from sin and grief afar, Thy blood-bought people home!

Samuel Prideaux Tregelles, LL.D., 1855.

308 Rom. xiii. 12. "The night is far spent." Or PARAN.

1 THE night is far spent, the day is at hand;
Already the dawn may be seen in the sky;
Rejoice then, ye saints, 'tis your Lord's own command;

Rejoice, for the coming of Jesus draws nigh.

2 How bright will it be, when Jesus appears! How welcome to those who have shared in His cross!

A crown incorruptible then will be theirs,

A rich compensation for suffering and loss.

3 Affliction is light compared to the day
Of glovy that then will from become

Of glory that then will from heaven be revealed! The Saviour is coming, His people may say,
The Lord whom we look for, our Sun and our
Shield.

4 Oh pardon us, Lord, that love to Thy name
Is faint, with so much our affections to move!
Our deadness shall fill us with grief and with shame,
So much to be loved and so little to love!

5 Oh kindle within us a holy desire,
Like that which was found in Thy people of old!
Who felt all Thy love, and whose hearts were on

While waiting in patience Thy face to behold!

Thomas Kelly, 1836. (a.)



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Heb. x. 25. "Ye see the day approaching."

1 LORD, we see the day approaching, When Thou wilt again appear; Sinners, still Thy garments touching, Stay Thee in Thy coming here.

2 Hid in heaven is all our treasure, Patience now becomes Thy saints; Lord, we wait Thy gracious pleasure, Faith should silence all complaints.

3 Through the wilderness we wander, Troubled oft, but not distressed; Seek we glory?—it is yonder, Suffering pledges future rest.

4 Coming judgments round us darken, Human hearts may fail or fear; Tune SOREK. 87, 87.

7, 87. Or Frankfort.

But to Thee alone we hearken, "Your redemption draweth near."

5 Make each waiting child obedient, Stay our anxious hearts on this: If Thy going were "expedient," Surely Thy return is bliss.

6 Our own Lord is coming hither, Light in darkness, joy in grief; Hope deferred would quickly wither Hearts that had not this relief.

7 All we need is deep affection, Singleness of eye and heart, Strength to own Thee in rejection; Grace sufficient, Lord, impart!

Mary Bowly, 1817.

GIBBONS. [H. P. 148.]

310 Isa. xxi. 11. "Watchman, what of the night?"

WATCHMAN! tell us of the night, What its signs of promise are. Traveller! o'er yon mountain's height See that glory-beaming star.

2 Watchman! does its beauteous ray Aught of hope or joy foretell? Traveller! yes; it brings the day, Promised day of Israel.

3 Watchman! tell us of the night; Higher yet that star ascends. Traveller! blessedness and light, Peace and truth, its course portends. Tune GIBBONS. 77,77.

Or VIENNA.

4 Watchman! will its beams alone Gild the spot that gave them birth? Traveller! ages are its own; See! it bursts o'er all the earth.

5 Watchman! tell us of the night, For the morning seems to dawn. Traveller! darkness takes its flight; Doubt and terror are withdrawn.

6 Watchman! let thy wanderings cease;
Hie thee to thy quiet home.
Traveller! lo, the Prince of Peace,
Lo, the Son of God, is come!
Sir John Bowring, LL.D., 1825.

LUBECK. [H. P. 139.]



311 Rev. vii. 12. "Blessing, and glory, . . and honour, and power, be unto our God for ever." Tune LUBECK. 77, 77.

1 SEE the ransomed millions stand, Palms of conquest in their hand; This before the throne their strain, "Hell is vanquished, death is slain;

2 Blessing, honour, glory, might, Are the Conqueror's native right; Thrones and powers before Him fall; Lamb of God, and Lord of all." 3 Hasten, Lord, the promised hour! Come in glory and in power! Still Thy foes are unsubdued: Nature sighs to be renewed.

4 Time has nearly reached its sum; All things, with Thy bride, say "Come"; Jesus, whom all worlds adore, Come, and reign for evermore.

Josiah Conder, 1836.



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Isa. xxi. 12. "If ye will inquire, inquire ye."

- 1 ENQUIRE, my soul, enquire! What doth the watchman say? Is the one Object of desire Already on His way?
- 2 What doth the watchman say, Whose cry the slumberer wakes? "The night hath nearly passed away; And lo! the morning breaks.
- 3 "The night is coming, too! A night of speechless woe; But there shall be no night to you— To you who Jesus know.

Tune Moravia. S. M.

- 4 "Come, whosoever will, Ere God's right hand He leaves: He waits till He His bosom fill With all His precious sheaves!
- 5 "God speaks, shall I be dumb? Watch that your lamps may burn; Come, all ye weary wanderers, come! Return to God! return!"
- 6 Take up the watchman's word: Repeat the midnight cry: "Prepare to meet the coming Lord; The time is drawing nigh."

7 The hours with eager flight
Pass on till He appear,
That moment of unknown delight
Will soon, will soon be here.

ALL SAINTS.

Mary Bowly, 1847.

[H. P. 298.]

313 1 Thess. iv. 16. "The Lord Himself shall descend."

Tune ALL SAINTS. 87, 87, 77. Or SUCCOTH.

- 1 WELCOME sight! the Lord descending!
 Jesus in the clouds appears;
 Lo! the Saviour comes, intending
 Now to dry His people's tears.
 Lo! the Saviour comes to reign;
 Welcome to His waiting train.
- 2 Long they mourned their absent Master; Long they felt like men forlorn; Bid the seasons fly still faster, While they sighed for His return: Lo! the period comes at last; All their sorrows now are past.
- 3 Now from home no longer banished,
 They are going to their rest;
 Though the heavens and earth have vanished,
 With their Lord they shall be blest;
 Blest with Him His saints shall be;
 Blest throughout eternity!
- 4 Happy people! grace unbounded, Grace alone, exalts you thus: Be ashamed, and be confounded; Sing for ever—"Not to us, Not to us be glory given— Glory to the God of heaven!"

Thomas Kelly, 1809.

314 Rev. xix. 6. "I heard as it were the voice of a great multitude."

Tune Corfe Mullen. 87, 87, 47. Or Zaanaim.

1 L⁰! He cometh! countless trumpets Blow to raise the sleeping dead! 'Mid ten thousand saints and angels, See the great exalted Head! Hallelujah!

Welcome, welcome, Son of God!

2 Full of joyful expectation, Saints behold their Lord appear; Truth and justice go before Him; Now the joyful sentence hear! Hallelujah!

Welcome sounds throughout the air!

3 Come, ye blessed of My Father, Enter into life and joy! Banish all your fears and sorrows, Endless praise be your employ! Hallelujah! Welcome, welcome to the skies.

CORFE MULLEN. [H. P. 297.]

4 Now at once they rise to glory,
Jesus brings them to the King;
There, with all the hosts of heaven,
They eternal anthems sing:
Hallelujah!

Boundless glory to the Lamb!

John Cennick, 1752. (a.)

GOTHA.

[H. P. 296.]



315 Rev. v. 11-13. "Worthy is the Lamb."

HARK! ten thousand voices crying,
"Lamb of God!" with one accord;
Thousand, thousand saints replying,
Wake at once the echoing chord.

2 "Praise the Lamb," the chorus waking, All in heaven together throng, Loud and far, each tongue partaking, Rolls around the endless song.

3 Grateful incense this, ascending Ever to the Father's throne; Every knee to Jesus bending, All the mind in heaven is one: Tune GOTHA. 87, 87.

Or CULBACH.

4 All the Father's counsels claiming Equal honour to the Son; All the Son's effulgence, beaming, Makes the Father's glory known.

5 By the Spirit all pervading, Hosts unnumbered round the Lamb, Crowned with light and joy unfading, Hail Him as the great "I AM."

6 Joyful now the whole creation
Rests in undisturbed repose,
Blest in Jesu's full salvation,
Sorrow now, nor thraldom knows.

John Nelson Darby, 1837.

BRIDEHEAD.

[H. P. 310.]



316 Mal. iii. 2. "Who may abide the day of His coming?"

Tune Bridehead. 886. D.

1 WHEN Thou, my righteous Judge, shalt come
To fetch Thy ransomed people home,
Shall I among them stand?
Shall such a worthless worm as I,
Who sometimes am afraid to die,
Be found at Thy right hand?

2 I love to meet among them now, Before Thy gracious feet to bow, Though vilest of them all: But can I bear the piercing thought, What if my name should be left out, When Thou for them shalt call? 3 Prevent it, Saviour, by Thy grace;
Be Thou, O Lord, my hiding-place,
In this the' accepted day.
Thy pardoning voice, oh let me hear,
To still my unbelieving fear;
Nor let me fall, I pray.

4 Let me among Thy saints be found,
Whene'er the archangel's trump shall sound,
And see Thy smiling face:
Then with what rapture shall I sing,
While heaven's resounding mansions ring
With shouts of sovereign grace!

Sclina Countess of Huntingdon's Collection, 1774; C. Wesley. (a.)



2 How long, O gracious Master,
Wilt Thou Thy household leave?
So long hast Thou now tarried,
Few Thy return believe:
Immersed in sloth and folly, Thy servants, Lord, we see:
And few of us stand ready
With joy to welcome Thee.

And seeks for ease and glory, Where Thou, her Lord, art not.

4 On! wake Thy slumbering virgins;
Send forth the solemn cry,
Let all Thy saints repeat it—
"The Bridegroom draweth nigh!"
May all our lamps be burning,
Our loins well sireded to Our loins well girded be,

Each longing heart preparing With joy Thy face to see!

James George Deck, 1837.



Joel ii. 1. "The day of the Lord cometh."

1 TIME'S sun is fast setting, its twilight is nigh, Its evening is falling in cloud o'er the sky, Its shadows are stretching in ominous gloom; Its midnight approaches, the midnight of doom. Then haste, sinner, haste, there is mercy for thee, And wrath is preparing—flee, lingerer, flee!

2 Rides forth the fierce tempest on the wing of the

The moan of the night-blast is fitful and loud; The mountains are heaving, the forests are bowed, The ocean is surging, earth gathers its shroud. Then haste, sinner, haste, etc.

Tune PEOR. 11 11, 11 11, 11 11.

3 The vision is nearing—the Judge and the throne!—
The voice of the angel proclaims, "It is done."
On the whirl of the tempest its Ruler shall come,
And the blaze of His glory flash out from its gloom.
Then haste, sinner, haste, etc.

4 With clouds He is coming! His people shall sing.
With gladness they hail Him Redeemer and King.
The iron rod wielding—the rod of His ire.
He cometh to kindle earth's last fatal fire!
Then haste, sinner. haste, etc.

Horatius Bonar, D.D., 1814.

319 Rev. ii. 28. "I will give him the Mornina Star.

Tune WINTON. C. M. Or NOTTINGHAM.

1 LIGHT of the lonely pilgrim's heart, Star of the coming day!
Arise, and, with Thy morning beams, Chase all our griefs away.

2 Come, blessèd Lord! bid every shore And answering island sing
The praises of Thy royal name,
And own Thee as their King.

3 Bid the whole earth, responsive now To the bright world above, Break forth in rapturous strains of joy, In memory of Thy love.

4 Lord, Lord, Thy fair creation groans, The air, the earth, the sea, In unison with all our hearts, And calls aloud for Thee.

5 Come then, with all Thy quickening power, With one awakening smile,

And bid the serpent's trail no more Thy beauteous realms defile.





6 Thine was the cross, with all its fruits Of grace and peace Divine: Be Thine the crown of glory now, The palm of victory Thine!

Sir Edward Denny, 1848. 839

ZAANAIM (Plain of). [H. P. 191.]



32() Mal. iii. 1. "The Lord, whom ye seek, shall suddenly come to His temple." Tune ZAANAIM. 87, 87, 47.

1 SAVIOUR, come, Thy friends are waiting, Waiting for the final day;

Thence their promised glory dating, Come, and bear Thy saints away. Come, Lord Jesus, Thus Thy waiting people pray.

2 Base the wish, and vain the' endeavour,
While on earth to find our rest;
Till we see Thy face, we never
Shall or can be fully blest;
In Thy presence
Nothing shall our peace molest.

See Hymns 210, 211, 1090, 1091.

3 Lord, we wait for Thine appearing; "Tarry not," Thy people say; Bright the prospect is, and cheering, Of beholding Thee that day;

When our sorrow Shall for ever pass away.

4 Till it comes, oh keep us steady; Keep us walking in Thy ways; At Thy call may we be ready, And our heads with triumph raise;

Then with angels Sing Thine everlasting praise!

Thomas Kelly, 1820.

(17) THE CORONATION OF CHRIST-KING OF KINGS.

Rev. xix. 16. "King of kings, and Lord of lords."

1 LOOK, ye saints, the sight is glorious, See the "Man of Sorrows" now; From the fight returned victorious, Every knee to Him shall bow: Crown Him, crown Him; Crowns become the Victor's brow.

Or ZAANAIM. Tune Corfe Mullen. 87, 87, 47.

2 Crown the Saviour, angels, crown Him: Rich the trophies Jesus brings: In the seat of power enthrone Him,
While the vault of heaven rings:
Crown Him, crown Him; Crown the Saviour "King of kings."





Sir Edward Denny, 1837.



Isa. xxiv. 23. "The Lord of Hosts shall reign in Mount Zion." 1 TSLES of the deep, rejoice! rejoice! The praises of your Lord and God, The triumphs of your King.

2 Blessèd morning! long expected,

2 He comes—and at His mighty word The clouds are flecting fast; And o'er the land of promise, see, The glory breaks at last.

3 There He, upon His ancient throne, His power and grace displays; While Salem, with its echoing hills. Sends forth the voice of praise. Tune IONA. C. M.

4 Streams of Divine, unfailing joy,
Whose sweetness none can know
But the redeemed, the blood-bought scul. Through all creation flow.

5 Oh! let His praises fill the earth, While all the blest above, In strains of loftier triumph still, Speak only of His love.

6 Sing, ye redeemed; before the throne, Ye white-robed myriads, fall; Sing-for the Lord of glory reigns, The Christ-the Heir of all. Sir Edward Denny, 1848. MILES'

LANE.



324 Rev. xix. 16. "King of kings, and Lord of lords."

Tune Archippus. C.M. Or Miles' Lane.

1 ALL hail the power of Jesu's name!

Let angels prostrate fall:

Bring forth the royal diadem, To crown Him Lord of all.

2 Let high-born seraphs tune the lyre, And as they tune it, fall Before His face, who tunes their choir, And crown Him Lord of all.

3 Crown Him, ye morning stars of light. Who fixed this floating ball; Now hail the Strength of Israel's might, And crown Him Lord of all.

4 Crown Him, ye martyrs of your God, Who from His altar call; Extol the stem of Jesse's rod, And crown Him Lord of all.

[H. P. 261.]

PART II.

- 5 Ye seed of Israel's chosen race, Ye ransomed of the fall, Hail Him who saves you by His grace, And crown Him Lord of all.
- 6 Hail Him, ye heirs of David's line, Whom David Lord did call; The God Incarnate—Man Divine; And crown Him Lord of all.
- 7 Sinners! whose love can ne'er forget The wormwood and the gall, Go-spread your trophies at His feet, And crown Him Lord of all.
- 8 Let every tribe, and every tongue, That bound creation's ball, Now shout in universal song The crowned Lord of all.
- 9 Oh that, with yonder sacred throng, We at His feet may fall; There join the everlasting song, And crown Him Lord of all!

Edward Perronet, 1780; ver. 2, Anon.; ver. 9, Dr. Rippon.







325 Zech. xiv. 4. "His feet shall stand upon the Mount of Olives."

Tune ZOAN II. 77,87. D.

1 LO! 'tis the heavenly army,
The Lord of hosts attending;
'Tis He—the Lamb, The great I AM,
With all His saints descending.
To you, ye kings and nations,
Ye foes of Christ, assembling,
The hosts of light, Prepared for fight,
Come with the cup of trembling.

2 Joy to His ancient people!
Your bonds He comes to sever;
And now 'tis done! The Lord hath won,
And ye are free for ever.
Joy to the ransomed nations!
The foe, the ravening lion,
Is bound in chains While Jesus reigns
King of the earth, in Zion.

3 Joy to the church triumphant,
The Saviour's throne surrounding; They see His face, Adore His grace O'er all their sin abounding: Crowned with the mighty Victor, His royal glory sharing; Each fills a throne, His name alone To heaven and earth declaring.

4 Praise to the Lamb for ever! Bruised for our sin, and gory, Behold His brow, Encircled now With all His crowns of glory— Beneath His love reposing, The whole redeemed creation
Is now at rest, For ever blest,
And sings His great salvation.

Sir Edward Denny, 1833.

Tune PISGAH. 326 77, 77. Rev. xiv. 14. "On His head a golden crown."

1 CROWNS of glory ever bright Rest upon the Victor's head: Crowns of glory are His right, His, "who liveth and was dead."

2 Jesus fought and won the day; Such a day was never fought; Well His people now may say, See what God, our God, has wrought!

3 He subdued the powers of hell; In the fight He stood alone; All His foes before Him fell, By His single arm o'erthrown.

4 They have fallen to rise no more: Final is the foes' defeat: Jesus triumphed by His power, And His triumph is complete.

5 His the fight, the arduous toil; His the honours of the day; His the glory and the spoil; Jesus bears them all away!

6 Now proclaim His deeds afar; Fill the world with His renown: His alone the Victor's car; His the everlasting crown.

Thomas Kelly, 1806.





327 Ps. xlv. 3. "Gird Thy sword upon Thy thigh, O most Mighty, with Thy glory and Thy majesty."

Tune Magdeburg. 87, 87, 47.

Or HAVILAH.

1 LET us sing the King Messiah, Li King of righteousness and peace! Hail Him, all His happy subjects. Never let His praises cease; Ever hail Him, Never let His praises cease.

2 How transcendent are Thy glories! Fairer than the sons of men! While Thy blessed mediation Brings us back to God again: Blest Redeemer, How we triumph in Thy reign!

3 Gird Thy sword on, mighty Hero! Make Thy word of truth Thy car:

Prosper in Thy course majestic; All success attend Thy war! Gracious Victor, Let mankind before Thee bow!

4 Majesty, combined with meekness, Righteousness and peace unite, To ensure Thy blessed conquests: On, great Prince, assert Thy right! All around the conquered globe!

5 Blest are all that touch Thy sceptre, Blest are all that own Thy reign; Freed from sin, that worst of tyrants, Rescued from its galling chain. Saints and angels,
All who know Thee, bless Thy reign.

John Ryland, D.D., 1790.



[H. P. 306.]



THE MILLENNIAL REIGN OF CHRIST.

328 Zech. xiv. 9. "The Lord shall be King over all the earth." Tune Freylinghausen. 87, 87. D. Or SHEN.

¹ Z ION'S King shall reign victorious, All the earth shall own His sway, He will make His kingdom glorious, He will reign through endless day What though none on earth assist Him? God requires no help from man; What though all the world resist Him? God will realize His plan.

2 Nations now from God estranged Then shall see a glorious light, Night to day shall then be changed, Heaven shall triumph in the sight: See the ancient idols falling!
Worshipped once, but now abhorred;
Men on Zion's King are calling,
Zion's King, by all adored. 3 Then shall Israel, long dispersed, Mourning seek the Lord their God Look on Him whom once they pierced, Own and kiss the chastening rod: Then all Israel shall be saved,
War and tunult then shall cease,
While the greater Son of David Rules a conquered world in peace.

4 Mighty King, Thine arm revealing,
Now Thy glorious cause maintain,
Bring the nations help and healing,
Make them subject to Thy reign:
Angels, in their lofty station,
Praise Thy name, Thou Only Wise;
Oh, let earth, with emulation,
Join the triumph of the skies.

Thomas Kelly, 1806.

329 Isa. lx. 18. "Thou shalt call thy walls Salvation, and thy gates Praise." Tune St. Chrysostom.

1 WAKE, harp of Zion, wake again, Upon thine ancient hill, On Jordan's long deserted plain, By Kedron's lowly rill.

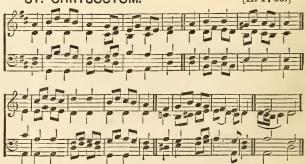
2 The hymn shall yet in Zion swell, That sounds Messiah's praise, And Thy loved name, Emmanuel, As once in ancient days.

3 For Israel yet shall own her King, For her salvation waits, And hill and dale shall sweetly sing, With praise in all her gates.

4 Oh hasten, Lord, these promised days. When Israel shall rejoice; And Jew and Gentile join in praise, With one united voice! James Edmeston, 1846.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM.

[H. P. 53.]



330 Ps. lxxii. 17. "All nations shall call Him blessed." Tune CRÜGER. Or ZOAN I. 76, 76. D.

1 HAIL to the Lord's Anointed; Great David's greater Son; Hail in the time appointed, His reign on earth begun! He comes to break oppression, To set the captive free; To take away transgression, And rule in equity.

2 He shall come down like showers Upon the fruitful earth; And love, joy, hope, like flowers, Spring in His path to birth: Before Him on the mountains, Shall Peace, the herald, go; And righteousness, in fountains, From hill to valley flow.

3 Arabia's desert-ranger To Him shall bow the knee, The Ethiopian stranger His glory come to see; With offerings of devotion Ships from the Isles shall meet, To pour the wealth of ocean In tribute at His feet.





1 JESUS shall reign where'er the sun Doth his successive journeys run; His kingdom stretch from shore to shore, Till moons shall wax and wane no more.

2 To Him shall endless prayer be made, And praises throng to crown His head; His name like sweet perfume shall rise With every morning sacrifice.

3 People and realms of every tongue Dwell on His love with sweetest song; And infant voices shall proclaim Their early blessings on His name. 4 Blessings abound where'er He reigns, The prisoner leaps to lose his chains, The weary find eternal rest, And all the sons of want are blessed.

5 Where He displays His healing power, Death and the curse are known no more; In Him the tribes of Adam boast More blessings than their father lost.

6 Let every creature rise and bring Peculiar honours to our King; Angels descend with songs again, And earth repeat the loud Amen! Isaac Watts, D.D., 1719.



333 Rev. xi. 15. "The kingdoms of this world are become the kingdoms of our Lord."

Tune EUPHRATES.

- 1 SOON may the last glad song arise, Through all the millions of the skies— That song of triumph, which records That all the earth is now the Lord's!
- Let thrones, and powers, and kingdoms be Obedient, mighty God, to Thee! And over land, and stream, and main, Wave Thou the sceptre of Thy reign!
- 3 Oh that that anthem soon might swell, And host to host the triumph tell—
 That not one rebel heart remains,
 But over all the Saviour reigns!

Josiah Pratt's Psalms and Hymns, 1829.

Tune York.

C. M.

[H. P. 45.] YORK.

"The mountain of the Lord's house shall be established." Isa. ii. 2.

BEHOLD! the mountain of the Lord

In latter days shall rise

On mountain tops, above the hills, And draw the wondering eyes. 2 To this the joyful nations round,

All tribes and tongues, shall flow; "Up to the hill of God," they'll say, "And to His house we'll go."

3 The beam that shines from Zion's hill

Shall lighten every land;
The King who reigns in Salem's towers
Shall all the world command.

4 Among the nations He shall judge; His judgments truth shall guide;

His sceptre shall protect the just, And quell the sinner's pride.

5 No strife shall rage, nor hostile feuds Disturb those peaceful years;
To ploughshares men shall beat their swords,
To pruning-hooks their spears.

6 No longer hosts, encountering hosts, Shall crowds of slain deplore; They hang the trumpet in the hall, And study war no more.

7 Come then! O come from every land, To worship at His shrine, And, walking in the light of God, With holy beauties shine! Scripture Songs, 1751, altered by Michael Bruce, 1763.

ZOAN II. (Field of.) [H. P. 166.] Rev. xx. 4. "They lived and reigned with Christ a thousand years." Tune ZOAN II. 77, 87. D.

BREAK forth, O earth, in praises! Dwell on His wondrous story;

The Saviour's name And love proclaim—
The King who reigns in glory.
See on the throne beside Him,

O'er all her foes victorious, His royal Bride For whom He died, Like Him for ever glorious.

Behold the royal Lion
Of Judah's line, In glory shine,
And fill His throne in Zion.
Blest with Messiah's favour,
A ransomed holy nation. Your offerings bring To Christ your King. The God of your salvation.

2 Ye of the seed of Jacob!

Come, O ye kings! ye nations,
With songs of gladness hail Him,
Ye Gentiles all, Before Him fall,
The royal Priest in Salem.
O'er hell and death triumphant,
Your conquering Lord hath risen,
His praises sound, Whose power hath bound
Your ruthless foe in prison.

Head of the new creation—
Thy ways of grace We love to trace,
And praise Thy great salvation.
Thy heart was pressed with sorrow,
The bonds of death to sever,
To make us free, That we might be
Thy crown of joy for ever.
Sir Edward Denny, 1833,

4 Hail to the King of glory:

Rev. xxii. 20. "Even so, come, Lord Jesus."
Tune Civitas Regis. 87, 87, 47. Or Idumea.

1 "COME, Lord Jesus! O come quickly!"
Oft has prayed the mourning Bride:
"Lo!" He answers, "I come quickly!"
Who His coming may abide?
All who loved Him,
All who longed to see His day!

2 "Come," He saith, "ye heirs of glory; Come, ye purchase of My blood; Claim the kingdom now before you; Rise, and fill the mount of God, Fixed for ever Where the Lamb on Zion stands."

3 See! ten thousand burning seraphs
From their thrones as lightnings fly;
"Take," they cry, "your seats above us,
Nearest Him who rules the sky!"
Patient sufferers,
How rewarded are ye now!

4 In full triumph see them marching Through the gates of massy light, While the city walls are sparkling With meridian glory bright! O how lovely Are the dwellings of the Lamb!

5 Hosts angelic all adore Him, Circling round His orient seat; Elders cast their crowns before Him, Fall and worship at His feet; O how holy And how reverend is Thy name!



6 Hail, Thou Alpha and Omega!
First and Last of all alone!
He that is, and was, and shall be,
And beside whom there is none!
Take the glory,
Great Eternal Three in One.

Thomas Olivers, 1757.



337 Luke i. 32. "The Lord God shall give unto Him the throne of His Father David." Tune CHESALON. C. M. Or EDEN.

1 'MIS He—the mighty Saviour comes,
The victory now is won,
And lo, the throne of David waits
For David's royal Son.

2 Thou blessed Heir of all the earth! Ascend Thine ancient throne, And bid the willing nations now Thy peaceful sceptre own.

3 Shine forth in all Thy glory, Lord, That man at length may see That joy, so long estranged from earth, Can only spring from Thee. 4 O happy day! 'tis come at last, The reign of death is o'er; And sin that marred our sweetest joys Shall grieve our hearts no more.

5 Washed in Thy blood, the tribes of earth, With all the blest above, Shall dwell in peace, united now, One family of love.

6 Fruit of Thy toil, Thou bleeding Lamb!
These joys we owe to Thee,
Then take the glory, Lord!—'tis Thine!
And shall for ever be!

Sir Edward Denny, 1833.



3 To gain a royal crown
Of glory for His Bride,
The foe He trampled down, And conquered when He died.
O earth, rejoice! break forth and sing
The conquests of your dying King! Rejoice beneath the eve Of Jesus and His Bride,

[H. P. 120.] MIZPEH (Valley of).

His Queen, enthroned ...
In glory at His side!
Blest in His love, ye nations, sing
Hosanna to your glorious King!
Sir Edward Denny, 1838.

ALL SAINTS. [H. P. 298.]







Isa. lxiii. 1. "Who is this that cometh from Edom?" Tune ALL SAINTS. 87, 87, 77.

1 66 WHO is this that comes from Edom?" All His raiment stained with blood, To the slave proclaiming freedom, Bringing and bestowing good; Glorious in the garb He wears,

Glorious in the spoils He bears. 'Tis the Saviour, now victorious, Travelling onward in His might Tis the Saviour, O how glorious
To His people is the sight!
Jesus now is strong to save,
Mighty to redeem the slave.

3 Why that blood His raiment staining?
"Tis the blood of many slain;
Of His fees there's none remaining, None the contest to maintain; Fallen they are, no more to rise, All their glory prostrate lies.

4 This the Saviour has effected, By His arrow has elected,
By His mighty arm alone;
See the throne for Him erected,
"Tis an everlasting throne;
"Tis the great reward He gains,
Glorious fruit of all His pains.

Glorious fruit of air his peans.

5 Mighty Victor, reign for ever,
Wear the crown so dearly won;
Never shall Thy people, never
Cease to sing what Thou hast done:
Thou hast fought Thy people's foes;
Thou wilt heal Thy people's woes!
Thomas Kelly, 1806.

GILBOA (Mount).

L. M.

[H. P. 11.]

340 DEACE to the world! the Lord is come: Its days of conflict now are o'er; The Prince of Peace ascends the throne, And war has ceased from shore to shore!

Isa. ix. 6. "His name shall be called the Prince of Peace." Tune GILBOA. 2 Joy to the earth! Messiah reigns! Earth's diadems are on His brow; Its rebel kingdoms are become His everlasting kingdom now.

3 Rest to the nations, blessed rest! The storm is hushed above, below: Joy to creation; welcome sound! After six thousand years of woe.

4 The earth again is Paradise, The desert blossoms as the rose, Far happier place than Eden this, Far brighter, sweeter days than those !

5 Oh! long expected, absent long, Star of creation's troubled gloom! Let heaven and earth break forth in song, Messiah, Saviour, art Thou come?

6 For Thou hast bought us with Thy blood, And Thou wast slain to set us free; Thou mad'st us kings and priests to God, And we shall reign on earth with Thee!

Horatius Bonar, D.D., 1944.

See Hymns 621, 918, 919.

341 Acts iii. 19. "Times of refreshing . . from the Lord."
Tune GILBOA. L.M. Or CRASSELIUS.

O WHAT a bright and blessed world
This grounds of the control o

This groaning earth of ours will be, When, from its throne the tempter hurled, Shall leave it all, O Lord, to Thee!

2 But brighter far, that world above,
Where we, as we are known, shall know;
And, in the sweet embrace of love, Reign o'er this ransomed earth below.

3 O blessed Lord! with weeping eyes That blissful hour we wait to see; While every worm or leaf that dies Tells of the curse, and calls for Thee.

4 Come, Saviour, then, o'er all below
Shine brightly from Thy throne above;
Bid heaven and earth Thy glory know,
And all creation feel Thy love.
Sir Edward Denny, 1833.

JEHOVAH - THE HOLY GHOST.



Job xxxiii. 4. "The Spirit of God hath made me."

Tune ORIEL. 87, 87, 47.

ERE the world, with light invested, Rose from its primeval sleep, Gloom and desolation rested On the surface of the deep: Earth and ocean Formed one rude and shapeless heap.

2 There the Holy Spirit moving, Wide His fostering pinions spread; Till, beneath His power improving, Nature seemed no longer dead;

Light and beauty Rose to crown her radiant head. 3 Blessed Spirit, we implore Thee, Yet once more Thy succour lend; Scatter the thick clouds before Thee, Which through all the earth extend; On all nations Bid the light of life descend.

4 See what sin, and what delusion, In this wretched world are found: Stay the torrent of confusion, Ere it spreads destruction round: Where sin triumphed, Now let grace and truth abound.

343 Gen. i. 2. "The Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters."

Tune EATON. 88, 88, 88. Or ANGELS' SONG.

1 CREATOR Spirit, by whose aid The world's foundations first were laid, Come visit every humble mind, Come pour Thy joy on all mankind: From sin and sorrow set us free. And make us temples meet for Thee.

2 O Source of uncreated light!
The Father's promised Paraclete!
Thrice holy Fount, thrice holy Fire,
Our hearts with heavenly love inspire:
Come, and Thy sacred unction bring,
To sanctify us while we sing.

3 Plenteous of grace descend from high, Rich in Thy sevenfold energy; Make us eternal truths receive, And practise all that we believe: Give us Thyself, that we may see The Father and the Son by Thee,

4 Immortal honours, endless fame, Attend the Almighty Father's name: The Saviour Son be glorified, Who for lost man's redemption died: And equal adoration be,
Eternal Paraclete, to Thee.

Latin Hymn, about Seventh Century;

(tr.) John Dryden, 1693.





(2) DISTINCT PERSONALITY.

Heb. x. 15. "The Holy Ghost also is a witness."

1 TO God the Holy Ghost,
The Lord of truth and grace,
The church on earth, the heavenly host,

Ascribe eternal praise.

2 He Wills, and Speaks, and Acts, For God and sinful men: And writes, within us, gospel facts, With an immortal pen.

3 The things of God most deep, He Searches and Reveals: Tune Moravia. S. M.

And when, by Him, for sin we weep, Our souls, through faith, He Heals.

4 To Him are all things Known, And here His Godhead shines, He brings the truth from Jesu's throne In bright celestial lines.

5 His glories let us tell, His Name be all-adored, As God distinct, yet one as well, Within the Triune Lord.

Thomas Row, 1817. (a.)



(3) PROCEEDING FROM THE FATHER AND THE SON.

345 John xv. 26. "The Comforter, whom I will send unto you from the Father."
Tune CONWAY. 10 10, 10 10. Or DEPTFORD.

1 HAIL, Holy Spirit, bright immortal Dove!
Great Spring of light, of purity and love;
Proceeding from the Father and the Son,
Distinct from Both, and yet with Both but One.

2 O Lord, from Thee one kind and quickening ray Will picroc the gloom and re-enkindle day; Will warm the frozen heart with love Divine, And with its Maker's image make it shine.



3 O shed Thine influence, and Thy power exert; Clear my dark mind, and thaw my icy heart; Pour on my drowsy soul celestial day, And heavenly life to all its powers convey. Simon Browne, 1720.



(4) NAMES AND TITLES EXPRESSING HIS WORK.

DIVINE.

346 Titus iii. 5. "The renewing of the Holy Ghost."
Tune TALLIS. C. M.

- 1 SPIRIT Divine! attend our prayers, And make this house Thy home; Descend with all Thy gracious powers, O come, Great Spirit, come!
- 2 Come as the light—to us reveal Our emptiness and woe; And lead us in those paths of life Where all the righteous go.
- 3 Come as the fire—and purge our hearts, Like sacrificial flame; Let our whole soul an offering be To our Redeemer's name.

- 4 Come as the dew—and sweetly bless
 This consecrated hour;
 May barrenness rejoice to own
 Thy fertilising power.
- 5 Come as the dove—and spread Thy wings, The wings of peaceful love; And let Thy church on earth become Blest as the church above.
- 6 Come as the wind—with rushing sound And Pentceostal grace; That all of woman born may see The glory of Thy face.
- ? Spirit Divine! attend our prayers,
 Make this lost world Thy home;
 Descend with all Thy gracious powers;
 O come, Great Spirit, come!
 Andrew Reed, D.D., 1842.

ETERNAL.

347 Heb. ix. 14. "Christ . . . through the Eternal Spirit offered Himself." Tune Tallis. C.M. Or Gloucester.

- 1 ETERNAL Spirit, by whose power Are burst the bands of death, On our cold hearts Thy blessings shower, And stir them with Thy breath.
- 2 'Tis Thine to point the heavenly way, Each rising fear control, And with a warm enlivening ray To melt the icy soul.
- 3 Tis Thine to cheer us when distressed, To raise us when we fall,

- To calm the doubting troubled breast, And aid when sinners call.
- 4 'Tis Thine to bring God's sacred word, And write it on our heart; There its reviving truths record, And there its peace impart.
- 5 Almighty Spirit, visit thus
 Our hearts, and guide our ways;
 Pour down Thy quickening grace on us,
 And tune our lips to praise.

 William Hiley Bathurst, 1831.

EVERTON.

[H. P. 308.]

HOLY GHOST

348 John xiv. 16. "He shall give you another Comforter."

Tune Everton. 87, 87, 77, 88.

1 HOLY GHOST, dispel our sadness,
Pierce the clouds of sinful night:
Come, Thou Source of sweetest gladness,
Breathe Thy life, and spread Thy light!
Loving Spirit, God of Peace,
Great Distributer of grace,
Rest upon this congregation!
Hear, O hear, our supplication!

2 From that height which knows no measure, As a gracious shower descend; Bringing down the richest treasure Man can wish, and God can send: O Thou Glory, shining down From the Father and the Son, Grant us Thy illumination! Rest upon this congregation.

PART II.

3 Come, Thou best of all donations
God can give, or we implore;
Having Thy sweet consolations,
We need wish for nothing more.

Come, with unction and with power; On our souls Thy graces shower; Author of the new creation, Make our hearts Thy habitation.

4 Known to Thee are all recesses
Of the earth and spreading skies;
Every sand the shore possesses,
Thy omniscient mind descries:
Holy Fountain, wash us clean,
Both from error and from sin;
Make us fly what Thou refusest,
And delight in what Thou choosest.

5 Manifest Thy love for ever;
Fence us in on every side;
In distress be Thou our Helper,
Guard and teach, support and guide:
Let Thy kind, effectual grace
Turn our feet from evil ways:
Show Thyself our New Creator,
And conform us to Thy nature!

Paul Gerhardt, 1653; Augustus M. Toplady, 1776.



INSPIRER.

Acts ii. 4. "They were all filled with the Holy Ghost."
Tune ESDRAELON. 87, 87. D.
HOLY GHOST, inspire our 2 Come with heavenly income.

Shed abroad the Saviour's love, While we sing the name of Jesus Deign on every heart to move; Source of sweetest consolation, Breathe Thy peace on all below; Bless, O bless this congregation!

Bid our hearts with love o'erflow.

2 Come with heavenly inspiration, Jesus in our souls reveal! Manifest His great salvation, As Thine own our spirits seal! Light Divine, on darkness shining, Deign the light of truth to give; Every grace and joy combining, May we to Thy glory live! 3 Hail! ye spirits bright and glorious, High exalted round the throne! Now with you we join in chorus, And your Lord we call our own. God to us His Son hath given: Saints, your noblest anthems raise!

All in earth and all in heaven, Sing the great Jehovah's praise! Basil Woodd, 1800.

SHENIR II. (Mount.)

[H. P. 151.]

ILLUMINATOR. 350 1 Cor. xii. 7. "The manifestation of the Spirit." To

1 HOLY GHOST, with light Divine, Shine upon this heart of mine; Chase the shades of night away, Turn the darkness into day.

2 Holy Ghost, with power Divine, Cleanse this guilty heart of mine; Long has sin without control Held dominion o'er my soul. Tune Shenir II. 77, 77. Or Vienna.

3 Holy Ghost, with joy Divine, Cheer this saddened heart of mine; Bid my many woes depart, Heal my wounded, bleeding heart.

4 Holy Spirit, all Divine, Dwell within this heart of mine; Cast down every idol throne; Reign supreme, and reign alone!

Andrew Reed, D.D., 1817.



REVEALER.

351 Matt. iii. 11. "He shall baptize you with the Holy Ghost, and with fire."

Tune Culbach. 87, 87.

1 HOLY GHOST, whose fire celestial Light and life Divine imparts, Come, and dwell in breasts terrestrial; Heaven reveal in all our hearts.

2 Come and pour, in blest effusion, Heavenly unction from above; Scattering wide, in rich diffusion, Comfort, life, and fire of love. 3 Keep Thy church in holy union; Foes remove, give peace at home: Source of peace and sweet communion, Where Thou art no ill can come.

4 Teach us humbly to adore Thee,
While on earth we pass our days;
Thence transport our souls to glory,
Lost in wonder, love, and praise!
Thomas Cotterill, 1815.



352 John xiv. 26. "The Comforter, which is the Holy Ghost."

Tune HAVERGAL. 777.

1 HOLY GHOST! my Comforter! Now from highest heaven appear, Shed Thy gracious radiance here.

2 Thou the heart's most precious Guest, Thou of comforters the best, Give to us, Thy people, rest.

3 Cleanse, through Christ, from sinful stain; O'er the parched heart, oh! rain, And the wounded heal from pain.

4 Bend the stubborn will to Thine, Melt the cold with fire Divine, Erring hearts aright incline!

5 Grant us, Lord, who cry to Thee, Steadfast in the faith to be, Give Thy gifts of charity.

6 May we live in holiness. May we five in holdness, And in death find happiness, And abide with Thee in bliss! 17th Century, (tr.) Catherine Winkworth, 1855.

SANCTIFIER.

353 2 Thess. ii. 13. "Sanctification of the Spirit."

HOLY SPIRIT, from on high, Bend on us a pitying eye; Animate the drooping heart, Bid the power of sin depart.

2 Light up every dark recess Of our heart's ungodliness; Show us every devious way, Where our steps have gone astray: Tune SHENIR II. 77, 77. Or LUXEMBURG. 3 Teach us with repentant grief Humbly to implore relief; Then the Saviour's blood reveal,

All our deep disease to heal. 4 May we daily grow in grace, And pursue the heavenly race, Trained in wisdom, led by love,

Till we reach our rest above! William Hiley Bathurst, 1831.



354 2 Tim. i. 7. "The spirit . . 1 O HOLY SPIRIT, come, And Jesu's love declare: Oh tell us of our heavenly home, And guide us safely there.

2 Our unbelief remove By Thine almighty breath; Oh work the wondrous work of The mighty work of faith. [love,

of power."

3 Come with resistless power, Come with almighty grace, Come with the long expected shower,
And fall upon this place!
Oswald Allen, 1862.



SPIRIT OF GRACE.

355 Zech. xii. 10. "I will pour . . . the spirit of grace." Tune PATMOS. 77, 77. Or VIENNA.

1 GRACIOUS Spirit, power Divine! Let Thy light around us shine: All our guilty fears remove; Fill us with Thy peace and love. 2 Pardon to the contrite give:

Bid the wounded sinner live; Lead us to the Lamb of God, Cleanse us with His precious blood. 3 Earnest Thou of heavenly rest, Soothe and heal the troubled breast; Life and joy and peace impart, Sanctifying every heart.

4 Guardian Spirit, lest we stray, Keep us in our heavenly way; Bring us to Thy courts above, Realms of light, and bliss and love.

John Stocker, 1777; Thomas Cotterill, 1820.



HOLY SPIRIT.

356 1 John ii. 27. "The anointing which ye have received." Tune OLDENBURG. 77, 77. Or PATMOS.

- 1 HOLY SPIRIT, in my breast Grant that lively faith may rest, And subdue each rebel thought To believe what Thou hast taught!
- 2 When around my sinking soul Gathering waves of sorrow roll, Spirit blest, the tempest still And with hope my bosom fill!
- 3 Holy Spirit, from my mind Thought, and wish, and will unkind,

- Deed and word unkind, remove, And my bosom fill with love!
- 4 Faith, and hope, and charity, Comforter, descend from Thee: Thou the anointing Spirit art, These Thy gifts to us impart;
- 5 Till our faith be lost in sight. Hope be swallowed in delight, Love return to dwell with Thee, In the threefold Deity!

Bishop Mant, 1837.



SPIRIT OF GLORY.

357 1 Pet. iv. 14. "The Spirit of glory and of God resteth upon you." Tune SEIR (adapted). 7777, 5777.

1 HOLY SPIRIT, gently come, Raise us from our fallen state, Fix Thy everlasting home In the hearts Thou didst create. Gift of God most High. Visit every troubled breast!
Life and light and love supply: Give our spirits perfect rest!

2 Heavenly unction from above, Comforter of weary saints, Fountain, Life, and Fire of Love, Hear, and answer our complaints! Thee, we humbly pray, Spirit of the Living God, Now Thy sevenfold grace display, Shed our Saviour's love abroad!

3 Now Thy quickening influence bring, On our spirits sweetly move; Open every mouth to sing Jesu's everlasting love!

Lighten every heart: Drive our enemies away Joy and peace to us impart; Lead us in the heavenly way!

4 Take the things of Christ, and show What our Lord for us hath done; May we God the Father know Only in and through the Son:
Nothing will we fear,
Though to wilds and deserts driven,
While we feel Thy presence near,
Witnessing our sins forgiven.

5 Glory be to God alone, God, whose hand created all! Glory be to God the Son, Who redeemed us from our fall!
To the Holy Ghost

Equal praise and glory be, When the course of time is lost, Lost in wide eternity!

William Hammond, 1745.

SWABIA.

[H. P. 82.]



THE SPIRIT COMPARED TO THE WIND.

358 Cant. iv. 16. "Awake, O north wind; and come, thou south."

S. M. Tune SWABIA.

- 1 AWAKE, O heavenly Wind, Thou Spirit most Divine, Come blow upon Thy garden here, And make its graces shine.
- 2 Let every fruitful plant And fragrant spice be seen, To make the garden of our God Most pleasant and serene.

- 3 Come, sweet celestial Dove, In Thy reviving gales, And tune our souls to sing the Lamb, Whose kindness never fails.
- 4 Let His sweet name perfume
 The garden of Thy care;
 And fill our songs and every breath With Thy delightful air!

Thomas Row, 1817.

359 Acts ii. 4. "They were all filled with the Holy Ghost."

1 LORD God, the Holy Ghost, In this accepted hour, As on the day of Pentecost, Descend in all Thy power.

- 2 We meet with one accord, In our appointed place, And wait the promise of our Lord, The Spirit of all grace.
- 3 Like mighty, rushing wind Upon the waves beneath, Move with one impulse every mind, One soul, one feeling breathe.

Tune SWABIA. S. M.

- 4 The young, the old, inspire With wisdom from above; And give us hearts and tongues of fire, To pray and praise and love.
- 5 Spirit of light, explore, And chase our gloom away, With lustre shining more and more Unto the perfect day.
- 6 Spirit of truth, be Thou, In life and death, our Guide; O Spirit of adoption, now May we be sanctified.

James Montgomery, 1825.

DIMON (Waters of).

[H. P. 64.]



DOVE.

360 Eph. i. 13. "Ye were sealed with that Holy Spirit."

- 1 WHY should the children of a King Go mourning all their days?
 Great Comforter, descend and bring
 Some tokens of Thy grace.
- 2 Dost Thou not dwell in all the saints, And seal the heirs of heaven? When wilt Thou banish my complaints, And show my sins forgiven?

Or FARRANT. Tune DIMON. C. M.

- 3 Assure my conscience of her part In the Redeemer's blood, And bear Thy witness with my heart That I am born of God.
- 4 Thou art the earnest of His love, The pledge of joys to come, And Thy soft wings, celestial Dove, Will safe convey me home!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.



Eph. iv. 8. "When He ascended up on high, He led captivity captive, and gave gifts unto men."

Tune Freylinghausen. 87, 87. D. Or Salzburg.

1 WHEN the Lord of Hosts ascended
To His heavenly citadel,
Soon the Holy Ghost descended,
Sent by Him, with men to dwell;
Sign of Christ's Inauguration
In the kingdom of His power,
Largess of His Coronation,
Royal bounty, promised dower.

When the faithful were assembled
On the day of Pentecost,
Rushed the wind, the place it trembled,
Came from heaven the Holy Ghost;
Golden shower of consecration,
Tongues of fire were on them shed;
And that holy dedication

Made an altar of each head.

Now the festive Pentecostal
Harvest-home of souls they keep;
With his sickle each apostle
Whitening fields goes forth to reap;
God with holy flame from heaven

God with holy flame from heaven
Writes on hearts the law of love;
Jubilee of sins forgiven
Sounds its trumpet from above.

4 Holy Ghost, Divine Creator,
Who didst on the waters move;
Holy Ghost, Regenerator,
Author of all life and love;
Holy Ghost, Illuminator,
Who didst then with fire baptize;
Holy Ghost, great Renovator,
Come, the world evangelize.

PART II.

5 Not in fire from heaven descending,
Not in earthquake, nor in shower,
Not in wind the mountains rending,
Now, O Lord, we seek Thy power;
But in holy aspirations
Do we seek and find Thee, Lord,
And in quiet meditations
On Thy everlasting word.

6 Guide of erring, go before us;
Breeze in heat, refresh our soul;
Shed Thy genial lustre o'er us;
Balm of sickness, make us whole;
In the hour of trouble hear us;
After labour give repose;
In the days of sickness, cheer us;
Guard in danger from our foes.

7 Strengthen, warm, and purify us;
From the bands of sin release;
Comfort, counsel, sanctify us;
Give us love and joy and peace;
Patience, faith, and resignation
Breathe upon us with Thy breath;
Give us heavenly consolation
In the solemn hour of death.

8 So when earth with fruit aboundeth,
And shall angel reapers see,
And the great archangel soundeth
God's eternal jubilee,
We may join their gratulation,
And to Father and to Son,
And to Spirit, adoration
Ever give, blest Three in One!
Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1862.

Come, the world evangelize.

Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1862

TALLIS'S ORDINAL.

(H. P. 44.)



362. 1 Cor. xii. 11. "The selfsame Spirit, dividing to every man severally as He will." Tune TALLIS. C. M.

1 NOT bound by chains, nor pent in cells, Of person or of place,
But, like the air, untrammelled blow
The breezes of Thy grace.

2 The Spirit is not tied to means, But sovereign is and free; But when Thou hast prescribed the means, Tied to those means are we. 3 We love the means, for they are Thine, Which heavenly life impart; They channels are, through which it flows; But Thou the Fountain art.

4 The vessel of our thirsting hearts
To Thee in them we bring;
O grant us, Lord, in heaven to drink
Or Thine eternal spring!
Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1862.

363 Zech. x. 1. "Ask ye of the Lord rain." Tune RATISBON. 77, 77, 77.

1 QUICKEN, Lord, Thy church and me; Send the promised Spirit down; Holy One, Eternal Three,
All Thy former mercies crown:
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
Send another Pentecost!

2 Let the living fire descend, Cloven tongues on every head, Tongues which all may comprehend— Speak Thy life into the dead! Suddenly the power of grace Send from heaven, and fill this place.

3 Send the rushing mighty wind,
Give the utterance Divine;
Let us know the Spirit's mind;
Let us speak in words of Thine:
Send a pure baptismal shower—
Tongues of fire, and words of power!

4 As of old, so be it now,
Now the glorious scene repeat;
See Thy humbled people bow,
Waiting lowly at Thy feet,
Crying all with one accord,
Send the promised Spirit, Lord!

5 First on the believing few,
Then in widening power unfurled,
Gathering, as the deluge grew,
Pour Thy Spirit on the world;
Bright in panoply Divine
Bid Thy church arise and shine!



Thou whose right it is to reign;
Call Thine ancient people home,
Paradise restore again:
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
Send another Pentecost!

Benjamin Gough, 1864.

364 Zeph. iii. 9. "Then will I turn to the people a pure language."

Tune Tallis. C. M.

ONCE all the nations were as one, For all did speak one speech;
But pride said, "Let us build a tower, Whose top to heaven may reach."

2 Another tower and city now Is builded, Lord, by Thee; Thy Zion, not built up by pride, But by humility.

3 One Lord, one faith, one baptism
The holy city knows;
And thence one gospel in the streams
Of every language flows.

4 Give us Thy Holy Spirit, Lord;
No pride nor strife be ours;
Not Babel-builders may we be,
But strengthen Zion's towers.
5 Soon may we in Thy Zion dwell,

Jerusalem above;
Where but one language will be heard,
And that one language—Love.

6 With joyful song and jubilee
This holy time we greet;
And praise the Father, and the Son,
And heavenly Paraclete!
Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1862.

LAODICEA. (HYMN CHANT.)

[H. P. No. VIII.]



365 John xiv. 17. "He dwelleth with you, and shall be in you." Shine Thou, and or

Hymn Chant VIII., LAODICEA. 88, 88, 66.

O HOLY Comforter, I hear
Thy blessed Name with throbbing heart,
Pressed oft with sorrow, sin, and fear,
And pierced with many a venomed dart:
Come, Messenger Divine,
Come, cheer this heart of mine.

2 O Holy Comforter, I know Thou art not to dull sense revealed; Thou com'st unseen as the sweet flow Of the soft wind that woos the field: Breathe, Messenger Divine,

Breathe on this soul of mine.
3 O Holy Comforter, Thy light
Is light eternal and serene;

Shine Thou, and on my ravished sight Visions shall break of things unseen: Come, Messenger Divine, Make these bright glimpses mine.

4 O Holy Comforter, Thy grace
Is life, and help, and hope, and power:
By this I can each cross embrace,

Can triumph in the darkest hour: Come, Messenger Divine, Thy strength of grace be mine.

5 O Holy Comforter, Thy peace, The peace of God, impart and keep Unruffled till life's tumults cease, And all its angry tempests sleep: Come, Messenger Divine,

Thy perfect peace be mine.

Ray Palmer, D.D., 1865.



- 366 John xvi. 7. "If I go not away, the Comforter will not come." Tune GOLDBACH. 76, 76. D.
 - 1 DRAW, Holy Spirit, nearer, And in our hearts abide; O make our judgment clearer, Our minds inform and guide. O come, Thou great Renewer, Touch heart and lip with fire, Make every bosom truer, Our aims and objects higher.
 - 2 O come, Thou true Consoler,
 Thou fire, that warms the cold,
 The haughty breast's controller,
 O come and make us bold:
 On all sides danger threatens;
 Lord, to our succour come,
 And arm us with the weapons
 Of early Christendom.
 - 3 Hard unbelief and folly
 The truth of God deny:
 O arm us, Lord most holy,
 With weapons from on high;

With faith that never falters, Unmoved by fear or praise, With love that never alters, And hope in darkest days.

- 4 We need a free confession
 In this our lukewarm age,
 A frank and full profession,
 In spite of scorn and rage;
 To friend alike and foeman,
 On this or heathen ground,
 To every man and woman,
 The gospel trump to sound.
- 5 Give power to those who witness
 And preach Thy holy word,
 That all may taste its sweetness,
 And rally round their Lord.
 Be this our preparation,
 A heart and tongue of fire!
 That this our proclamation
 May speed as we desire!
 C. J. P. Spitta, 1833; Richard Massie (tr.), 1860.



367 John xiv. 16. "I will pray the Father, and He shall give you another Comforter." Tune BETHANY. 86, 84.

- 1 OUR blest Redeemer, ere He breathed His tender, last farewell, A Guide, a Comforter, bequeathed, With us to dwell.
- 2 He comes, the mystic heavenly Dove, With sheltering wings outspread, The holy balm of peace and love On earth to shed.
- 3 He comes, sweet influence to impart, A gracious, willing Guest, Where He can find one humble heart Wherein to rest.

- 4 And His that gentle voice we hear, Soft as the breath of even, That checks each fault, that calms each fear, And speaks of heaven.
- 5 And every virtue we possess, And every victory won, And every thought of holiness, Are His, alone!
- 6 Spirit of purity and grace,
 Our weakness, pitying, see:
 Oh make our hearts Thy dwelling-place.
 And meet for Thee!

Harriet Auber, 1829.



(7) FAITHFUL TO HIS COVENANT.

368 Heb. x. 15, 23. "The Holy Ghost. . . He is faithful that promised." 1 TO Thee, O Comforter Divine, For all Thy grace and power benign, Sing we Alleluia!

2 To Thee, whose faithful love had place

In God's great Covenant of Grace, Sing we Alleluia! 3 To Thee, whose faithful voice doth win The wandering from the ways of sin, Sing we Alleluia!

4 To Thee, whose faithful power doth heal, Enlighten, sanctify, and seal, Sing we Alleluia!

Tune TRYPHOSA. 886.

5 To Thee, whose faithful truth is shown By every promise made our own, Sing we Alleluia!

6 To thee, our Teacher and our Friend, Our faithful Leader to the end, Sing we Alleluia!

7 To Thee, by Jesus Christ sent down, Of all His gifts the sum and crown, Sing we Alleluia!

8 To Thee, who art with God the Son And God the Father ever One, Sing we Alleluia!

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1872.

FRANKFORT. [H. P. 183.]

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John xvi. 14. "He shall glorify Me."

1 NOW, Thou faithful, gentle Spirit, Make the glorious Saviour known, In His all-prevailing merit, From His high and heavenly throne.

2 Holy Spirit, we remember, Thou art faithful still to guide To our gracious great Defender, Where we seek our souls to hide.

Tune FRANKFORT. 87, 87.

3 Thou dost guide us to the fountain Of the Saviour's precious blood; Lead us, Lord, to Calvary's mountain, Where He poured the cleansing flood.

4 Thou dost show the great relation That our perfect heavenly Head Manifested in salvation, When He mingled with the dead!

Thomas Row, 1817.

[H. P. 20.]

DALMATIA.



(8) PRAYER FOR THE OUTPOURING OF THE HOLY SPIRIT.

370 Ps. xliii. 3. "O send out Thy light and Thy truth."

OME, gracious Spirit, heavenly Dove, With light and comfort from above: Be Thou our Guardian, Thou our Guide, O'er every thought and step preside.

2 The light of truth to us display, That we may know and choose Thy way; Plant holy fear in every heart, That we from God may ne'er depart.

Tune DALMATIA. L. M. Or MELCOMBE.

3 Conduct us safe, conduct us far From every sin and hurtful snare; Lead us to Christ, the living Way. Nor let us from His pastures stray.

4 Lead us to holiness, the road That we must take to dwell with God; Lead us to God, our final rest, To be with Him for ever blessed!

Simon Browne, 1720. (a.)



371 Ps. lxxx. 18. "Quicken us, and we will call upon Thy name."

Tune Tallis. C. M.

- 1 COME, Holy Spirit, heavenly Dove, With all Thy quickening powers Kindle a flame of sacred love In these cold hearts of ours.
- 2 Look how we grovel here below, Fond of these earthly toys; Our souls—how heavily they go, To reach eternal joys!
- 3 In vain we tune our formal songs, In vain we strive to rise;

- Hosannas languish on our tongues, And our devotion dies.
- 4 Dear Lord, and shall we ever be In this low, lifeless state? Our love so faint, so cold to Thee, And Thine to us so great!
- 5 Come, Holy Spirit, heavenly Dove,
 With all Thy quickening powers!
 Come, shed abroad a Saviour's love,
 And that shall kindle ours!
 Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.

ARMAGEDDON (Valley of)

[H. P. 90.]



- 372 John xiv. 26. "The Holy Ghost, whom the Father will send in My name." Tune ARMAGEDDON. S.M.
 - 1 COME, Holy Spirit, come, Let Thy bright beams arise, Dispel all sorrow from our minds, All darkness from our eyes.
 - 2 Cheer our desponding hearts, Thou heavenly Paraclete; Give us to lie, with humble hope, At our Redeemer's feet.
 - 3 Revive our drooping faith, Our doubts and fears remove, And kindle in our breasts the flame Of never-dying love.

- 4 Convince us of our sin,
 Then lead to Jesu's blood,
 And to our wondering view reveal
 The secret love of God.
- 5 'Tis Thine to cleanse the heart, To sanctify the soul; To pour fresh life in every part, And new-create the whole.
- 6 Dwell therefore in our hearts, Our minds from bondage free; Then we shall know, and praise, and love The Father, Son, and Thee! Joseph Hart, 1759

MELCOMBE.

[H. P. 24.]



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Rom. viii. 26. "The Spirit also helpeth our infirmities."

Tune Melcombe. L. M.

- 1 COME, Holy Spirit! calm my mind, And fit me to approach my God; Remove each vain, each worldly thought, And lead me to Thy blest abode,
- 2 Hast Thou imparted to my soul A living spark of heavenly fire? Oh, kindle now the sacred flame; With fervent love my soul inspire.

- 3 Impress upon my wandering mind The love that Christ for sinners bore; Then mourn the wounds my sins produced, And my redeeming God adore.
- 4 A brighter faith and hope impart, And let me now the Saviour see; Oh soothe and cheer my burdened heart, And bid my spirit rest in Thee!

John Stewart, 1903.



374 Ezek. xxxvii. 9. "Come from the four winds, O Breath, and breathe upon these slain." Tune KEDRON. 886. D.

DESCEND from heaven, celestial Dove,
With flames of pure seraphic love
Our ravished breasts inspire.
O Fount of joy, bless'd Paraclete,
Warm our cold hearts with heavenly heat,
And set our souls on fre.

2 Breathe on these bones, so dry and dead; Thy sweetest, softest influence shed In all our hearts abroad. Point out the place where grace abounds: Direct us to the bleeding wounds Of our incarnate God. 3 Conduct, bless'd Guide, Thy sinner-train To Calvary, where the Lamb was slain; And with us there abide. Let us our loved Redeemer meet, Weep o'er His pierced hands and feet, And view His wounded side.

4 Thou with the Father and the Son Art that mysterious Three-in-One, God bless'd for evermore; Whom though we cannot comprehend, Feeling Thou art the sinner's Friend, We love Thee, and adore!

Joseph Hart, 1759.



375 2 Cor. i. 22. "The earnest of the Spirit."

1 COME, Thou all-inspiring Spirit,
Into every longing heart!
Bought for us by Jesu's merit,
Now Thy blissful Self impart:
Sign our uncontested pardon;
Wash us in the atoning blood:
Make our hearts a watered garden;
Fill our thirsting souls with God.

2 If Thou gav'st the' enlarged desire, Which for Thee we ever feel, Now our panting souls inspire, Now our cancelled sin reveal: Claim us for Thy habitation; Dwell within our hallowed breast; Seal us heirs of full salvation, Fitted for our heavenly rest. Tune St. Asaph. 87, 87. D.

Or SALZBURG.

3 Give us quietly to tarry,
Till for all Thy glory meet,
Waiting, like attentive Mary,
Happy at the Saviour's feet:
Keep us from the world unspotted,
From all earthly passions free,
Wholly to Thyself devoted,
Fixed to live and die for Thee,

4 Wrestling on in mighty prayer,
Lord, we will not let Thee go,
Till Thou all Thy mind declare,
All Thy grace on us bestow:
Peace, the seal of sin forgiven,
Joy, and perfect love, impart,
Present, everlasting heaven,
All Thou hast, and all Thou art!

Charles Wesley, 1767. (a.)

376 Eph. iii. 16. "Strengthened with might by His Spirit." Tune OLD TEN COMMANDMENTS. L. M. Or MELCOMBE.

1 COME, gracious Lord, descend and dwell By faith and love in every breast; Then shall we know, and taste, and feel The joys that cannot be expressed.

2 Come fill our hearts with inward strength; Make our enlarged souls possess And learn the height, and breadth, and length Of Thine unmeasurable grace.

3 Now to the God whose power can do More than our thoughts or wishes know, Be everlasting honours done By all the church, through Christ His Son!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.

377 Exod. xxxiii. 18. "I beseech Thee, show me Thy glory."
Tune HALLE. 88, 88, 88. Or MAON.

1 LORD, show Thy glory, as of old,
The work of heavenly love display;
And let our longing eyes behold
Another Pentecostal day;
Our fervent wishes deign to crown,
And send Thy quickening Spirit down.

2 Thou seest, Lord, how far we stray, Oppressed with ills we cannot flee; How sin hath drawn our hearts away From peace, from happiness, and Thee; Thy gracious Spirit, Lord, bestow, And snatch us from the depth of woe.

3 Encompassed with a host of foes, Our strength is small, our danger nigh; Where can we find some brief repose, Or whither for protection fly? O Lord, Thy mighty Spirit send, Our hearts to strengthen and defend.

4 Now let a brighter day begin
Than ever yet was witnessed here;
Bid darkly-gathering clouds of sin
Before Thy presence disappear:
Reign in each heart; in every place
Set up the empire of Thy grace!

William Hiley Bathurst, 1831.





378 Isa. xliv. 3. "I will pour My Spirit."
Hymn Chant VI., SARDIS. 10 10, 10 10.

O HOLY SPIRIT! now descend on me, As showers of rain upon a thirsty ground; Cause me to flourish as a spreading tree, May all Thy precious fruits in me be found.

2 Be Thou my Teacher—to my soul reveal flove, The length, breadth, depth, and height of Jesus' And on my soul Thy blest instructions seal, Raising my thoughts and heart to things above.

3 Be Thou my Comforter—when I'm distressed, Oh gently soothe my sorrows, calm my grief: Help me to find upon my Saviour's breast, In every hour of trial, sure relief.

4 Be Thou my Guide into all truth Divine, Give me increasing knowledge of my God; Show me the glories that in Jesus shine, And make my heart the place of His abode!

See Hymns 120, 756-759, 809, 811, 875.

5 Be Thou my Intercessor—teach me how
To pray according to God's holy will;
Cause me with deep and strong desire to glow,
And my whole soul with heavenly longings fill.

6 Be Thou my Earnest of eternal rest, And witness with me I am God's own child, With His unchanging love and favour blest, By Jesu's merits fully reconciled.

7 Be Thou my Sanctifier—dwell within, And purify and cleanse my every thought, Subdue the power of each besetting sin, And be my will to sweet submission brought.

8 Be Thou my Quickener—in me revive Each drooping grace, so prone to fade and die; Help me on Jesus day by day to live, And loosen more and more each earthly tie.

9 Blest Spirit! I would yield myself to Thee, Do for me more than I can ask or think; Let me Thy holy habitation be, And daily deeper from Thy fulness drink!

Christina Forsyth, 1861.

PART II. - The Book of God, and the Church of God.

THEME I .- The Holy Scriptures—the Lebelation of the Triune Jehobah.



379 Acts i. 16. "The Holy Ghost, by the mouth of David, spake." Tune NAYLAND, C. M. Or EDEN.

1 THE Spirit breathes upon the word. And brings the truth to sight, Precepts and promises afford A sanctifying light.

2 A glory gilds the sacred page, Majestic, like the sun; It gives a light to every age— It gives, but borrows none.

3 The Hand that gave it still supplies
The gracious light and heat;

Its truths upon the nations rise-They rise, but never set.

4 Let everlasting thanks be Thine. For such a bright display
As makes a world of darkness shine
With beams of heavenly day.

5 My soul rejoices to pursue The steps of Him I love, Till glory breaks upon my view In brighter worlds above!

William Couper, 1779.



380 2 Tim. iii. 16. "All Scripture is given by inspiration of God." Tune OLD TEN COMMANDMENTS. L. M.

1 ETERNAL Spirit! 'twas Thy breath The oracles of truth inspired, And kings, and holy seers of old, With strong prophetic impulse fired.

2 Filled with Thy great almighty power,
_Their lips with heavenly science flowed; Their hands a thousand wonders wrought, Which bore the signature of God.

3 The powers of earth, and hell, in vain Against the sacred word combine; Thy providence through every age Securely guards the Book Divine.

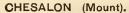
4 Thee, its great Author, Source of light, Thee, its Preserver, we adore; And humbly ask a ray from Thee, Its hidden wonders to explore

381 2 Pet. i. 21. "Holy men of God spake as they 2 Pet. 1. 21. "Holy men of God spake were moved by the Holy Ghost."
Tune RATISBON. 77, 77, 77.
DOES the Lord of glory speak
To His creatures here below;
And may souls so frail and weak All His gracious dealings know? Does the blessed Bible bring Tidings from our heavenly King? 2 Oh with what intense desire Should we search that sacred book! Here our zeal should never tire; Here we should delight to look For the rules by mercy given, To conduct our souls to heaven. 3 Shall not he that humbly seeks All the light of truth discern?

Do we not, when Jesus speaks,

Feel our hearts within us burn? For His soul-reviving voice Bids the mourner now rejoice. 4 Lord, Thy teaching grace impart, That we may not read in vain; Write Thy precepts on our heart,
Make Thy truths and doctrines plain:
Let the message of Thy love





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(2) EXCELLENCY.

Ps. cxix. 105. "Thy word is a lamp unto my feet.

Tune CHESALON. C. M.

- 1 LAMP of our feet, whereby we trace Our path when wont to stray; Stream from the fount of heavenly grace, Brook by the traveller's way:
- 2 Bread of our souls, whereon we feed, True manna from on high; Our guide and chart, wherein we read Of realms beyond the sky:

3 Pillar of fire, through watches dark, And radiant cloud by day; When waves would whelm our tossing bark, Our anchor and our stay:

4 Word of the everlasting God, Will of His glorious Son; Without thee how could earth be trod, Or heaven itself be won?

5 Lord, grant us all aright to learn The wisdom it imparts; And to its heavenly teaching turn With simple, childlike hearts!

Bernard Barton, 1836.

HEBRON.

[H. P. 12.]



383 Jer. xv. 16. "Thy word was unto me the joy and rejoicing of mine heart." Tune HEBRON. Or WALDECK.

L. M.

I LOVE the sacred book of God, No other can its place supply; It points me to the saints' abode, It gives me wings, and bids me fly.

2 Sweet book! in thee my eyes discern The image of my absent Lord: From thine illumined page I learn The joys His presence will afford.

3 In thee I read my title clear To mansions never to decay; My Lord! oh when will He appear, And bear His prisoner far away!

4 Then shall I need thy light no more, For nothing shall be then concealed: When I have reached the heavenly shore, The Lord Himself will stand revealed.

5 When 'midst the throng celestial placed, The bright Original I see,
From which thy sacred page was traced,
Sweet book! I've no more need of thee.

6 But while on earth, thou shalt supply
His place, and tell me of His love;
I'll read with faith's discerning eye, And get a taste of joys above.

7 I know His Spirit breathes in thee, To animate His people here; May thy sweet truths prove life to me, Till in His presence I appear!

Thomas Kelly, 1804.

PATMOS. [H. P. 147.]

384 Deut. vi. 6. "These words . . . shall be in thine heart." Tune Patmos. 77, 77.

HOLY Bible, Book Divine, Precious treasure, thou art mino; Mine, to tell me whence I came; Mine, to teach me what I am;

2 Mine, to chide me when I rove; Mine, to show a Saviour's love; Mine art thou, to guide my feet; Mine to judge, condemn, acquit; 3 Mine, to comfort in distress, If the Holy Spirit bless; Mine, to show by living faith Man can triumph over death;

4 Mine, to tell of joys to come, Light and life beyond the tomb; Holy Bible, Book Divine, Precious treasure, thou art mine! John Burton, 1805.



385 Ps. cxix. 24. "Thy testimonies also are my delight."

Tune Maon. 88, 88, 88.

- WHEN quiet in my house I sit,
 Thy book is my companion still;
 My joy Thy sayings to repeat,
 Talk o'er the records of Thy will,
 And search the oracles Divine,
 Till every heart-felt word be mine.
- 2 Oh may the gracious words Divine Subject of all my converse be: So will the Lord His follower join, And walk and talk Himself with me; So shall my heart His presence prove, And burn with everlasting love.
- 3 Oft as I lay me down to rest,
 Oh may the reconciling word
 Sweetly compose my weary breast!
 While, on the bosom of my Lord,
 I sink in blissful dreams away,
 And visions of cternal day.
- 4 Rising to sing my Saviour's praise,
 Thee may I publish all day long;
 And let Thy precious word of grace
 Flow from my heart, and fill my tongue;
 Fill all my life with purest love,
 And join me to the church above!

Charles Wesley, 1762. (a.)



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Matt. iv. 7. "It is written again."

1 FIVE pebbles from the brook The shepherd David drew; One of those five he took, And proud Goliath slew.

- 2 He went forth all alone, No armour had he on; But with a sling and stone The victory he won.
- 3 There is a holy stream, By God's pure wellspring fed; Bright polished pebbles gleam, Like jewels, in its bed
- 4 The Bible is that brook;
 The five books of God's law
 Jesus, our David, took,
 And one from them did draw.

Tune Bashan. 66,66.

- 5 With that, and that alone, He went to meet the foe; And with that single stone He laid the tempter low.
- 6 Sing praises to our Lord, Glad Hallelujahs sing, Who conquered by His word; Our Captain and our King.
- 7 Lord, arm us with that word, With faith in Thee our shield; We need no other sword, Teach us that sword to wield.
- 8 Help us like Thee to fight, Oh give us victory; So may we put to flight Our ghostly enemy.

9 To Father and the Son,
And, Holy Ghost, to Thee,
Eternal Three in One,
Eternal glory be!

Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1832.



387 Ps. exix. 103. "How sweet are Thy words unto my taste."

Tune Succoth. 87, 87, 77.

PRECIOUS Bible! what a treasure
Does the word of God afford!
All I want for life or pleasure,
Food and medicine, shield and sword:
Let the world account me poor,
Having this, I need no more.

2 Food, to which the world's a stranger, Here my hungry soul enjoys; Of excess there is no danger, Though it fills it never cloys: On a dying Christ I feed, He is meat and drink indeed!

3 When my faith is faint and sickly. Or when Satan wounds my mind, Cordials to revive me quickly, Healing medicines, here I find: To the promises I flee, Each affords a remedy. 4 In the hour of dark temptation,
Satan cannot make me yield;
For the word of consolation
Is to me a mighty shield;
While the Scripture-tru hs are sure,
From his malice I'm secure.

5 Vain his threats to overcome me, When in faith I take the sword; Then with ease I drive him from me, Satan trembles at the word: "Tis a sword for conquest made, Keen the edge, and strong the blade.

6 Shall I envy then the miser,
Doating on his golden store?
Sure I am, or should be, wiser—
I am rich, 'tis he is poor:
Jesus gives me in His word
Food and medicine, shield and sword.

John Newton, 1774.

HARTS.

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John v. 39. "Search the Scriptures."

1 PRECIOUS Bible, what a store For the sons of men to' explore: Precious Christ, it speaks of Thee; Give us eyes Thyself to see.

2 Precious Bible, what a friend, All my footsteps to attend; All my wants it can supply; For it brings the Saviour nigh. Tune Harts.

77, 77.

3 Precious Bible, what a field! Precious fruits its furrows yield: Wide extent, and fertile ground, Verdant pastures here are found.

Precious Bible, what a mine! Full of promises Divine: I would all thy wealth explore, And thy Author, God, adore!

Joseph Irons, 1816.

(3) SUFFICIENCY.

389 Ps. cxix. 54. "Thy statutes have been my songs."

Tune St. Ann. C. M.

1 FATHER of mercies, in Thy word What endless glory shines!
For ever be Thy name adored For these celestial lines.

2 Here may the wretched sons of want Exhaustless riches find; Riches, above what earth can grant, And lasting as the mind.



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3 Here the fair tree of knowledge grows, And yields a free repast; Sublimer sweets than nature knows Invite the longing taste.

4 Here the Redeemer's welcome voice Spreads heavenly peace around,
And life, and everlasting joys,
Attend the blissful sound.

5 Oh may these heavenly pages be My ever dear delight; And still new beauties may I see, And still increasing light.

6 Divine Instructor, gracious Lord, Be Thou for ever near:
Teach me to love Thy sacred word,
And view my Saviour there! Anne Steele, 1760.

390 Ps. cxix. 130. "The entrance of Thy words giveth light." Tune St. Ann. C.M. Or York. Or Bedford.

1 H^{OW} shall the young secure their hearts, And guard their lives from sin? Thy word, O Lord, the way imparts To keep the conscience clean.

2 When once it enters to the mind, It spreads such light abroad, The meanest may instruction find, And raise their thoughts to God. 3 'Tis like the sun, a heavenly light, That guides us all the day; And through the dangers of the night, A lamp to lead our way.

4 Thy word is everlasting truth; How pure is every page! Oh may it guard our earliest youth, And cheer our latest age! Isaac Watts, D.D., 1719.

SALISBURY.

[H. P. 62.]



Ps. cxix. 97. "Oh how love I Thy law!"
Tune Salisbury.
OH! how I love Thy holy law!
Tis daily my delight; C. M.

And thence my meditations draw Divine advice by night.

2 How doth Thy word my heart engage! How well employ my tongue! And in my trying pilgrimage Yields me a heavenly song.

3 Am I a stranger, or at home, 'Tis my perpetual feast: Not honey dropping from the comb So much allures the taste.

4 No treasures so enrich the mind, Nor shall Thy word be sold For loads of silver well-refined, Nor heaps of choicest gold.

5 When nature sinks and spirits droop, When nature sinks and space
Thy promises of grace
Are pillars to support my hope,
And there I write Thy praise!
Isaac Watts, D.D., 1719.

392 Ps. xviii. 28. "Thou wilt light my candle."
Tune SALISBURY. C. M 1 HOW precious is the Book Divine. Bright as a lamp its doctrines shine, To guide our souls to heaven.

2 It sweetly cheers our drooping hearts, In this dark vale of tears; Life, light, and joy its truth imparts, And quells our rising fears.

3 This lamp, through all the tedious night Of life, shall guide our way; Till we behold the clearer light Of everlasting day.

John Fawcett, 1782.

393 Ps. exix. 140. "Thy word is very pure." C. LORD, I have made Thy word my choice, My lasting heritage; There shall my noblest powers rejoice, My warmest thoughts engage!

2 I'll read the histories of Thy love, And keep Thy laws in sight, While through the promises I rove With ever fresh delight.

3 'Tis a broad land of wealth unknown, Where springs of life arise, Seeds of immortal bliss are sown, And hidden glory lies.

4 The best relief that mourners have, It makes their sorrows blest; And bids them look beyond the grave, To an eternal rest!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1719.



Than the finest gold more precious, Than the honey sweeter far. 2 What lay hid from ancient sages,

What they sought, but failed to find, This, unfolded in thy pages, Now appears to all mankind.

3 Precious volume! all revealing, All that we have need to know: Nothing from our view concealing, That can profit here below.

That can proint here below.

Hope we have: this hope is cheering,

That the things we know not now,

In the day of His appearing,

Christ will to His people show! Thomas Kelly, 1806.

DAMARIS.

Ps. cxix. 89. "For ever, O Lord, Thy word is settled in heaven."

LORD, Thy Word abideth, And our footsteps guideth; Who its truth believeth Light and joy receiveth.

2 When our foes are near us, Then Thy Word doth cheer us, Word of consolation, Message of salvation.

3 When the storms are o'er us, And dark clouds before us, Then its light directeth, And our way protecteth.

4 Who can tell the pleasure, Who recount the treasure, By Thy Word imparted To the simple-hearted?

66, 66. Tune Damaris.

5 Word of mercy, giving Succour to the living; Word of life, supplying Comfort to the dying!

6 Oh, that we discerning Its most holy learning, Lord, may love and fear Thee, Evermore be near Thee! The Rev. Sir Henry Williams Baker, 1861.



I.—FORESEEN BY JEHOVAH FROM ALL ETERNITY.



Tune Shen. 15 15, 15 15.

THOU chosen church of Jesus, glorious, blessed, and secure, fendure:

Tune Shen. 15 15, 15 15.

Chosen in Christia.

Tune Shen. 15 15, 15 15.

Substantial of the world."

Tune Shen. 15 15, 15 15.

Though the Holy Spirit, through the sanct fying grace

[heavenly place]

Founded on the One Foundation, which for ever shall Not thy holiness or beauty can thy strength and safety be, [thee. But the everlasting love wherewith Jehovah loved the company of the

But the everlasting love wherewith Jehovah loved 2 Chosen—by His own good pleasure, by the counsel of His will, [people still: Mystery of power and wisdom working for His Chosen—in thy mighty Saviour, ere one ray of quickening light [sovereign might, Beamed upon the chaos waiting for the Word of

3 Chosen—through the Holy Spirit, through the sanctifying grace [heavenly place: Poured upon His precious vessels, meetened for the Chosen—to show forth His praises, to be holy in His sight:

Chosen—unto grace and glory, chosen unto life and

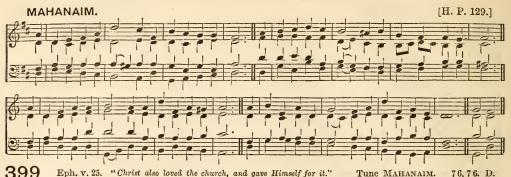
A Blessèd be the God and Father of our Saviour

Jesus Christ, [counted and unpriced!]

Who hath blessed us with such blessings all unLet our high and holy calling, and our strong salvation, be [grace, to Thee!]

Theme of never-ending praises, God of sovereign

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1871.



1 THE Church's one Foundation Is Jesus Christ her Lord,

She is the new creation By water and the Word: From heaven He came, and sought To be His holy bride, [her With His own blood He bought her, And for her life He died.

2 Elect from every nation, Yet one o'er all the earth, The charter of salvation, One Lord, one Faith, one Birth; One holy Name she blesses, Partakes one holy food,

And to one hope she presses, With every grace endued.

3 Though with a scornful wonder, Men see her sore opprest. By schisms rent asunder, By heresies distrest;

Yet saints their watch are keeping. Their cry goes up, "How long?" And soon their night of weeping Shall be the morn of song.

4 'Mid toil and tribulation, And tumult of her war, She waits the consummation Of peace for evermore:

Tune MAHANAIM. 76, 76. D.

Till with the vision glorious Her longing eyes are blest, And the great church, victorious, Shall be the church at rest.

5 Yet she on earth hath union With God, the Three in One; And mystic, sweet communion With those whose rest is won.

O happy ones and holy! Lord, give us grace that we Like them, the meek and lowly, On high may dwell with Thee.

Samuel John Stone, 1865.



Isa. liii. 11. "He shall see of the travail of His soul." 400

Tune HAVILAH.

1 JESUS saw His church, elected, And betrothed her as His own; She shall never be rejected, But be partner of His throne! How He loved her! Long cre time or sin were known.

2 Jesus saw His church, when falling Into ruin and disgrace: When her state was most appalling, Stood as Surety in her place;
How He loved her!
Thus to magnify His grace.

3 Jesus saw His church, enslaved, In her guilt, and far from God; But, resolved she should be saved, Interposed His precious blood:
How He loved her! Thus to suffer for her good.

4 Jesus saw His church, when straying, Brought her back by sovereign grace; Now He sees her watching—praying— Waiting to behold His face: Still He loves her!

And in heaven prepares her place! Joseph Irons, 1825.

401 Acts xiii. 48. "As many as were ordained to eternal life believed."

Tune BEVAN. 6666, 88. 1 THE people of the Lord Were chosen in their Head,

To all eternal good,
Before the worlds were made;
Elect to know the Prince of Peace, And taste the riches of His grace.



Elect to faith and hope, To purity and love, To all the life of God, To all the things above; Elect to prove salvation sure, Elect to reign for evermore.

Grace, grace alone appears In His eternal choice ; It cheers the humble saint. And makes the soul rejoice: Its endless glory shines so bright, It makes obedience all delight.



Now, Lord, to us reveal Thy all-confirming grace; And may we all pursue The shining paths of peace: Press onward to the joys above, And ever sing electing love! Richard Burnham, 1796. (a.)



1 NOW to the power of God supreme
Be everlasting honours given;
He saves from hell (we bless His name),
He calls our wandering feet to heaven. See Hymns 117-119.

But of His own abounding grace, He works salvation in our hearts, And forms a people for His praise.

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.



(2) PRECIOUS.

403 Ps. lxxxvii. 3. "Glorious things are spoken of thee," Tune FreyLinghausen. 87, 87. D.

1 CLORIOUS things of thee are spoken, Zion, city of our God!
He, whose word cannot be broken,
Formed thee for His own abode:
On the Rock of Ages founded,
What can shake thy sure repose?
With salvation's walls surrounded, Thou mayest smile at all thy foes.

2 See! the stream of living waters,
Springing from eternal love,
Well supply thy sons and daughters,
And all fear of want remove:
Who can faint while such a river Ever flows their thirst to' assuage? Grace which, like the Lord, the Giver. Never fails from age to age.

3 Round each habitation hovering, See the cloud and fire appear! For a glory and a covering, Showing that the Lord is near: Thus deriving from their banner Light by night, and shade by day, Safe they feed upon the manna Which He gives them when they pray! PART II.

4 Blest inhabitants of Zion, Washed in the Redeemer's blood, Jesus, whom their souls rely on, Makes them kings and priests to God. 'Tis His love His people raises

Over self to reign as kings: And as priests, His solemn praises Each for a thank-offering brings.

5 Saviour, if of Zion's city I through grace a member am, Let the world deride or pity, I will glory in Thy name: Fading is the worldling's pleasure, All his boasted pomp and show! Solid joys and lasting treasure None but Zion's children know!

John Newton, 1779. N



Isa. xliii. 4. "Since thou wast precious in My sight."

Tune KENT. C. M.

- 1 NOW let Jehovah's covenant love To saints employ my breath; Its constancy shall always prove The same, in life and death.
- 2 Beloved and precious in His sight, Before all worlds they stood, Their souls were always His delight, They cost Him precious blood.
- 3 Yes, they are precious while they live, And precious when they die: So precious, that to them He'll give Most precious crowns on high.

- 4 So precious that His grace and power Conspire to make them blest; So precious at their dying hour, He takes them to His breast.
- 5 So precious that He has engraved Their names upon His hand; So precious that they shall be saved, And in His presence stand.
- 6 Hear, O my soul, what Jesus saith, Nor tremble to depart;
 For all His saints, in life and death,
 Are precious to His heart!

Joseph Irons, 1825.

405 Ps. exxy. 2. "As the mountains are round about Jerusalem, so the Lord is round about His people."

Tune Civitas Regis. 87, 87, 47. Or Havilah.

1 ZION stands by hills surrounded:
Zion kept by power Divine:
All her foes shall be confounded,
Though the world in arms combine.
Happy Zion!
What a favoured lot is thine!

2 Every human tie may perish; Friend to friend unfaithful prove; Mothers cease their own to cherish; Heaven and earth at last remove: But no changes Can attend Jehovah's love.

3 Zion's Friend in nothing alters, Though all others may and do: His is love that never falters, Always to its object true.

Happy Zion!
Crowned with mercies ever new.

4 If thy God should show displeasure, Tis to save and not destroy:
If He punish, 'tis in measure;
'Tis to rid thee of alloy.

Be thou patient; Soon thy grief shall turn to joy.

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5 In the furnace God may prove thee, Thence to bring thee forth more bright; But can never cease to love thee: Thou art precious in His sight: God is with thee. God thine everlasting light. Thomas Kelly, 1806.

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Ps. exxxii. 13. "The Lord hath chosen Zion."

87, 87. D. Tune SHEN.

1 ZION is Jehovah's dwelling; There "the King of kings" appears: Hers is glory far excelling
All the worldling secs or hears.

Zion's walls are everlasting, Formed through endless years to shine; Strength and beauty, never wasting, Show their origin Divine.



- 2 Zion claims peculiar honour: High distinction marks her lot: Light eternal shines upon her; Hers a sun that faileth not. Zion's city hath foundations:
 God Himself hath raised her walls; She survives the wreck of nations; Zion stands, whatever falls.
- 3 Happy they who, now discerning Zion's glory, thither move!
 Earth with all its honours spurning, Zion is the place they love.

There the Lord, His face disclosing, Fills His people's hearts with joy; While, from all their toils reposing, Bliss is theirs without alloy.

- 4 Brethren, let the prospect cheer us; Fair the lot that's cast for us: When we call, our God will hear us: Happy who are favoured thus! Let the timid fear no longer:
 - What though earth and hell oppose? He who pleads our cause is stronger, Stronger far than all our foes!

Thomas Kelly, 1806.

407 Jer. xxxi. 3. "Yea, I have loved thee with an everlasting love."

> Tune HAVILAH. 87, 87, 47.

1 TOVED with love from everlasting, Lord, Thy church must rest secure; Bought with blood, by grace now quickened; Their eternal peace is sure. Happy people, Loved, and bought, and called by grace.

2 Yet, amidst a world of follies, With a nature vile and base, Oft assailed by fierce temptations, How we need Thy mighty grace!
Dangers threaten:
Lord, uphold us in Thy fear.

3 Never safe but when protected By Thy providence and love; Leave us not, but daily keep us, Till we see Thy face above. Keep us, Jesus, As the apple of Thine eye.

4 Keep us, Lord, from hard presumption, Keep us, too, from unbelief; When assailed by dark temptation, Send us succour and relief. Keep, O keep us, Till our pilgrimage is o'er.



5 Keep us that our lives may praise Thee, May we live to honour Thee: And, when called to pass the river, May we then Thy presence see. Jesus, keep us, Till in heaven we sing Thy grace !

Septimus Sears, 1865.



408 Num. xxiii. 20. "Behold I have received comm COME let us stand as Balaam stood, And mark the people blessed of God In Israel's tents below; "Behold I have received comman ment to bless." How goodly is their dwelling-place, How happy is the favoured race, Whom He vouchsafes to know.

2 The sons of Israel stand alone; Jehovah claims them for His own; His cause and theirs the same:

Tune JORDAN. 886. He saved them from the tyrant's hand, Allots to them a pleasant land, And calls them by His name.

3 His arm protects, His presence guides, His love for all their need provides; With peace and hope they're blest: Preserved by their almighty Friend, Till all their toils and trials end In everlasting rest! Edward Osler, 1836.



ZION, beloved of God, "Fear not, for I have redeemed thee." No more to doubts incline: Hear the sweet accents of His word: 3 "I bought thee with My blood, "Fear not, for thou art Mine."

2 "Ere chaos heard My voice, Or stars began to shine,

Thou wast the object of My choice, 4 And may my soul thus claim And ever shalt be Mine.

I save when foes combine, [stood, I'll conquer, though thou hast with-And make thee wholly Mine."

Tune SWABIA. A blessing so Divine? I will exult in Jesu's name, And know that He is mine!

Joseph Irons, 1819.

410 Deut. xxxiii. 29. "Happy art thou, O Israel." Tune NASSAU. 77, 77, 77.

1 SONS of Zion, lift your eyes Upward to your native skies; Now ascend the azure height, To your city wrapt in light. Free of Zion's city, you Keep your freedom still in view;

2 Tread in faith the streets of gold, Love's rich fountain now behold, Pluck the fruit of life's fair tree, Drink the stream that flows for thee; Bow before the golden throne, Christ your rightful monarch own.

3 Tread around salvation's wall Tell the towers that cannot fall; Count ye well her bulwarks strong, Make her safety now your song. Though in Meshech's land ye dwell, There of Zion you may tell.

4 God of might, the power bestow On Thy feeble sons below; Now on faith's strong wing to fly, Upward toward our native sky; Fetch from glimpses of our home Strength the wilderness to roam;

5 Grace to prove to all around Zion's sons we shall be found;



Zion's sons on earth by faith, Zion's citizens at death:

Zion's songsters in that day When all tears are wiped away! Septimus Sears, 1865.



O PEOPLE, selected by sovereign love, Through free grace elected to glory above; What cause for uniting your voices to sing, What cause for delighting in Jesus your King!

2 What nation so blessed, so honoured of God? Your sins all atoned for by Calvary's blood;

Your sorrows removed, and your wants all supplied, By Him that has loved you and bought you beside.

3 Though foes should assail you on every hand, Your King will not fail you—beside you He'll stand; He's near to defend you, and ne'er will depart; No power shall rend you away from His heart! Septimus Sears, 1865.



(3) COMPLETE. 412 John vi. 37. "All that the Father giveth Me shall come to Me."

1 ALL hail, Thou great Redeemer, hail! 3 Nor sins, nor doubts, nor foes can keep The least of Jesu's ransomed sheep; They shall come to His sacred fold, A We know Thy promise cannot fail; Thy ransomed family shall come

To their prepared eternal home.

2 Shall come! this truth demands a song From all the blest returning throng; Satan must yield his long-held prey When Jesus bids them come away.

Whom He engaged to save of old.

4 His name, His honour, and His blood, Are pledged to bring them home to God: And all His church shall come, and prove Jehovah's free unchanging love!

Tune Crasselius.

Joseph Irons, 1825.

413 John xvii. 2. "That He should give eternal life to as many as Thou hast given Him."

Tune ARCHIPPUS. 1 HARK! how the choir around the Adore their glorious King! [throne They drink full draughts of bliss un-And Hallelujah sing. [known, 2 They range through heaven's unmea-

sured plain,
And find new cause for praise;
See more of Jesus, and again

Loud Hallelujahs raise. 3 Anon, the pearly gates unfold, An heir of bliss draws nigh; Again they strike their harps of gold, And Hallelujah cry.

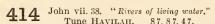
4 Another sinner born of God Makes heaven's vast concave ring; Again they Jesu's love record, And Hallelujah sing.

5 At last the ransomed throng complete Is glorified throughout: Again they bow at Jesu's feet, And Hallelujah shout.



6 Ere long we hope to join the throng Who bow before the King; And in one everlasting song Our Hallelujah bring.

Joseph Irons, 1825.



SEE from Zion's fountain rises
Life's full stream, whose rolling tide
All impediment despises,
Swelling high and spreading wide;

Life abounding— Life from Jesus crucified.

2 Barren sands, and lofty mountains, Open channels for its course; And all other streams and fountains Dry away before its force: This is daily

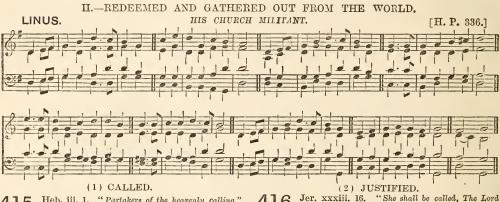
Well supplied from Christ its source.

3 Flow, ye waves, to every nation, Every tribe, and every tongue, Till the blessings of salvation Visit all the ransomed throng, And the Saviour's

Praises through the earth are sung.
4 Saviour, let Thy gospel river
Spread its blessings all around;
Loudest songs to Thee, the Giver,
Shall throughout Thy church resound,

And for ever Lord of all Thou shalt be crowned. Joseph Irons, 1816. (a.)





415 Heb. iii. 1. "Partakers of the heavenly calling." Tune ESDRAELON. 1515, 1515.

1 HOLY brethren, called and chosen by the Sovereign Voice of might, [light! See your high and holy calling, out of darkness into Called according to His purpose, and the riches of His love, [Dove. Won to listen by the leading of the gentle heavenly

2 Called to suffer with our Master, patiently to run His race; [grace; Called a blessing to inherit, called to holiness and Called to fellowship with Jesus, by the Ever-faithful One; Son. Called to His eternal glory, to the kingdom of His

3 Whom He calleth He preserveth, and His glory they shall see; [not ye! He is faithful that hath called you; He will do it, fear Therefore, holy brethren, onward! make your heavenly calling sure;

For the prize of this high calling, bravely to the end endure.

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1872.

416 Jer. xxxiii. 16. "She shall be called, The Lord our Righteousness."
Tune ESDRAELON. 15 15, 15 15.

1 ISRAEL of God, awaken! Church of Christ, arise and shine! Mourning garb and soiled raiment henceforth be no For the Lord thy God hath clothed thee with a new and glorious dress.

With the garments of salvation, with the robe of

2 By the grace of God the Father, thou art freely justified,

Through the great redemption purchased by the blood of Him who died;

By His life, for thee fulfilling God's command exceeding broad, [God.

By His glorious resurrection, seal and signet of thy

3 Therefore justified for ever by the faith which He hath given, [path to heaven: Peace, and joy, and hope abounding, smooth thy trial Unto Him betrethed for ever, who thy life shall

crown and bless, [our Righteousness!"
By His name thou shalt be called, Christ, "The Lord
Frances Ridley Havergal, 1871.



"This is His name whereby He shall be called, THE LORD OUR RIGHTEOUSNESS. Tune St. James.

1 SAVIOUR Divine, we know Thy name, And in that name we trust!

Thou art the Lord our Righteousness Thou art Thy people's boast!

2 Tis not by works of righteousness Which our own hands have done; But we are saved by sovereign grace Abounding through His Son.

3 'Tis from the mercy of our God That all our hopes begin;

See Hymns 685, 686.

C. M.
"Tis by the water and the blood, Our souls are washed from sin.

4 'Tis through the purchase of His death Who hung upon the tree, The Spirit is sent down to breathe

On such dry bones as we.

5 Raised from the dead, we live anew; And, justified by grace, We shall appear in glory too, And see our Father's face!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709; and Philip Doddridge, D.D., 1755.



John xv. 19. "I have chosen you out of the world." Tun

A WAKE! awake! ye saints of God, Oh hear your gle

Redeemed and cleansed with precious blood, "Rise up, My lo In Christ pronounced just;

Your beauteous garments daily wear, Let your true dignity appear. Shake off the earthly dust.

2 Why should this world delight you so?

Why grovel in the dust below? Your portion is in heaven. See Hymns 504-509.

Tune Jordan. 886. D. "Rise up, My love, and come away, Eternal life is given."

3 Beloved of Jesus, heirs of bliss, Haste through this dreary wilderness, Regardless of its toys;
A few more steps will bring us through,
Then we shall Jesu's glories view,

In everlasting joys!

Joseph Irons, 1825,

CHESALON (Mount). fH. P. 35.

(4) NEVER SEPARATED FROM CHRIST.

419 Rom. viii. 38, 39. "Neither death nor life . . . shall be able to separate us."
Tune CHESALON. C. M. Or LONDON NEW.

1 BLEST truth! the church and Christ are one,

In bonds the most secure; No separation! precious thought, While endless years endure.

2 No separation, is proclaimed In God's unerring word:

Christ is not of His bride ashamed, Then let her own her Lord.

3 No separation! cheers my heart, And bids my fears subside; My soul and Jesus cannot part, For me He lived and died.

4 No separation! precious thought, Then Christ is with me here, And home to heaven I must be brought.

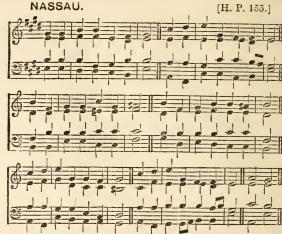
For Jesus Christ is there. 5 No separation! this decree Of everlasting love

Is fixed by the eternal Three,. And never can remove! Joseph Irons, 1825. 420 Rom. viii. 35. "Who shall separate us from the love of Christ?" Tune NASSAU. 77, 77, 77.

1 HALLELUJAH! who shall part Christ's own church from Christ's own heart?

Sever from the Saviour's side Souls for whom the Saviour died? Cast one precious jewel down From Emmanuel's blood-bought crown?

- 2 Hallelujah! shall the sword Part us from our glorious Lord? Trouble dire or dark disgrace From His heart our names erase? Famine, nakedness, or hate, Us from Jesus separate?
- 3 Hallelujah! life nor death, Powers above, nor powers beneath, Satan's might, nor hell's dark gloom, Things which are, nor things to come, Men nor angels, e'er shall part Christ's own church from Christ's own heart! William Dickinson, 1846.



SALISBURY. H. P. 62.1

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(5) PRESERVED IN CHRIST.

Jude 1. "Preserved in Jesus Christ."

1 HOW safe are all the chosen race. Preserved in Christ their Head, Before He calls them by His grace, And after calling led.

2 Preserved in Christ, and taught to love His name, His saints, His word: Preserved to gain a throne above, And praise and love the Lord.

C. M. Tune Salisbury.

3 Preserved when earth and hell oppose, Preserved in life and death, Preserved when wrath destroys their foes, And victory crowns their faith.

4 Preserved 'midst Satan's flery darts. Through all this wilderness: Preserved from vile depraved hearts, For everlasting bliss. Joseph Irons, 1825.

CULBACH.

III. P. 181.7



Isa. xxvii. 3. "I will water it every moment: list any hurt it, I will keep it night and day." Tune CULBACH.

¹ LORD, what blessed consolation Do Thy promises supply! In the season of temptation, Is not Thy assistance nigh?

2 Art Thou not a strong Defender Of Thy church from all her foes? Shall the citadel surrender, Though assailed by rudest blows?

3 No, the Rock on which she's founded. Stands immovably secure; Though by enemies surrounded, She shall flourish and endure.

87, 87.

4 Vain are all their boasted numbers,
Marshalled forth in stern array;

Marshalled forth in stern array; For Thine eye, that never slumbers, Keepeth her by night and day.

5 Lord, our resolution's taken; We would share the lot of those Who, though by the world forsaken, On Thy constant love repose.

6 May Thy Spirit safely guide us Through the dangers of our road; And in happier worlds provide us With a peaceable abode!

William Hiley Bathurst, 1821.



HOW firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord, Is laid for your faith in His excellent word! What more can He say than to you He hath said, You—who unto Jesus for refuge have fied?

2 "Fear not, I am with thee, oh, be not dismayed! For I am thy God, and will still give thee aid; I'll strengthen thee, help thee, and cause thee to stand, Upheld by My righteous, omnipotent hand.

3 "When through the deep waters I call thee to go, The rivers of sorrow shall not overflow:

Tune Paran. 11 11, 11 11. For I will be with thee, thy troubles to bless, And calm with My presence thy deepest distress.

4 "And when through the fire thy pathway shall lie, My grace all-sufficient shall be thy supply; The flame shall not hurt thee; I only design Thy dross to consume and thy gold to refine."

5 The soul that on Jesus hath leaned for repose, He will not, He will not desert to his foes; That soul, though all hell should endeavour to shake, Jehovah will never, no, never forsake! George Keith, 1787. (a.)



424 Exod. xv. 4. "Pharach's chariots and his host hath He cast into the sea." Tune SOSTHENES. 10 11, 11 11, 12 11.

1 SOUND the loud timbrel o'er Egypt's dark sea, Jehovah hath triumphed, His people are free! Sing, for the pride of the tyrant is broken: His chariots and horsemen, all splendid and brave, How vain was their boasting! The Lord hath but spoken

And chariots and horsemen are sunk in the wave. See Hymns 728-734. Sound, etc.

2 Praise to the Conqueror, praise to the Lord; His word was our arrow—His breath was our sword: Who shall return to tell Egypt the story Of those she sent forth in the hour of her pride? The Lord hath looked out from His pillar of glory And all her brave thousands are dashed in the tide! Sound, etc. Thomas Moore, 1816.

425 Gal. iv. 19. "Until Christ be formed in you." Tune Sa

O JESUS CHRIST, grow Thou in me, And all things else recede!
My heart be daily nearer Thee,
From sin be daily freed.

2 Each day let Thy supporting might My weakness still embrace; My darkness vanish in Thy light, Thy life my death efface.

3 In Thy bright beams which on me fall. Fade every evil thought:
That I am nothing, Thou art all,
I would be daily taught.

See Hymns 190, 214-217.

Tune Salisbury. Or St. PETER. C. M.

4 More of Thy glory let me see, Thou Holy, Wise, and True! I would Thy living image be, In joy and sorrow too.

5 Fill me with gladness from above, Hold me by strength Divine; Lord, let the glow of Thy great love Through my whole being shine.

6 Make this poor self grow less and less, Be Thou my life and aim;
Oh, make me daily through Thy grace
More meet to bear Thy name!

Johann Caspar Lavater, 1801; H. B. Smith (tr.), 1839.

III.—HEREAFTER TO BE GLORIFIED, AND PRESENTED AS THE BRIDE ADORNED FOR HER KING.

HIS CHURCH TRIUMPHANT.

CHESALON (Mount). [H. P. 35.]

(1) CONTINUING IN HIS PRESENCE.

426 Ps. cxix. 89. "For ever, O Lord, Thy word is settled in heaven." Tune CHESALON. C. M.

1 FOR ever! oh, delightful word! My God for ever lives: For ever shall my song record The blessings which He gives.

2 For ever firm His covenant stands, For ever sure His oath; For ever safe in Jesu's hands, My soul and body both. 3 For ever justified by grace, For ever loved of God; For ever blest in Christ's embrace, For ever with the Lord.

4 For ever singing Jesu's love,
For ever owned as His;
For ever triumphing above,
For ever crowned with bliss!
Joseph Irons, 1825.

427 John xiv. 3. "That where I am, there ye may be also."

Tune Chesalon. C. M.

1 IN yonder realms, where Jesus reigns Upon His Father's throne, Each ransomed soul a mansion gains, And claims it as his own.

2 Built on His purposes of love, Prepared by hands Divine, Within the Father's house above, Where endless glories shine.

3 Is there, dear Lord, a place for me, Prepared and freely given? Where Jesus is, I long to be, For there I find my heaven!

Joseph Irons, 1819.

(2) REJOICING IN HIS UNCHANGING LOVE.

428 Rev. v. 9. "They sung a new song." Tune Euodias. 84, 84, 8884.

1 'TIS the church triumphant singing,
Worthy the Lamb;
Heaven throughout with praises ringing,
Worthy the Lamb.
Thrones and powers before Him bending,
Odours sweet with voice ascending
Swell the chorus never ending,
Worthy the Lamb.

2 Every kindred, tongue, and nation, Worthy the Lamb; Join to sing the great salvation, Worthy the Lamb. Loud as mighty thunders roaring Floods of mighty waters pouring, Prostrate at His feet adoring: Worthy the Lamb.

3 Harps and songs for ever sounding,
Worthy the Lamb;
Mighty grace o'er sin abounding,
Worthy the Lamb.
By His blood He dearly bought us;
Wandering from the fold He sought us,
And to glory safely brought us:
Worthy the Lamb!

4 Sing with blest anticipation,
Worthy the Lamb;
Through the vale of tribulation,
Worthy the Lamb.



Sweetest notes, all notes excelling, On the theme for ever dwelling,

Still untold, though ever telling: Worthy the Lamb!

John Kent, 1803.



Rev. xiv. 3. "They sung as it were a new song before the throne."
Tune ZION. 88, 88, 88.

1 HARKI how the glorious hosts above,
Around the great Jehovah's throne,
Enjoying His eternal love,
The Author of their glory own;
Without a jarring note they sing,
"Salvation to our God" and King.

2 Brought home by rich and sovereign grace, From every nation, tribe, and tongue, They bow before Jehovah's face, And join the everlasting song; Without a sorrow, fear, or doubt, "Salvation to our God" they shout.

3 Arrayed in robes of righteousness,
With glorious crowns, and harps of gold,
Among them Jesus dwells to bless;
His matchless glory they behold;
And as they gaze, repeat their songs,
"Salvation to our God" belongs.

4 Oh, when shall we among them stand, In Jesu's righteousness complete, Obtain our place at His right hand, And cast our crowns before His feet? We'll join the heavenly chorus then, "Salvation to our God!" Amen! Joseph Irons, 1825.

430 Rev. i. 5, 6. "Unto Him that loved us . . . be glory and dominion for ever and ever."

Tune Moscow. 664, 6664.

BEHOLD the saints of God,
Redeemed with precious blood,
Free grace record!
In Jesus crucified,
For evermore confide,
For you He lived and died;

Praise ye the Lord!

2 He loved your souls so well,
He rescued you from hell,
And life restored;
Sing of His sovereign grace,
His blessed footsteps trace,
Still gazing on His face;
Praise ye the Lord!

3 To Him all glory give, Upon His fulness live, And trust His word; Low at His footstool fall, Upon Him daily call, And own Him Lord of all; Praise ye the Lord! MOSCOW. [H. P. 107.]

4 By all the host of heaven,
And sinners here forgiven,
Christ is adored:
To our all-glorious King
We will our tribute bring,
And thus for ever sing
Praise ye the Lord!

Isaac Bridgman, 1830.

(3) PARTAKING OF HIS ETERNAL GLORY.

431 Heb. ii. 13. "Behold I and the children which God hath given Me."
Tune SWABIA. S. M.

1 OUR Saviour and our King, Enthroned and crowned above, Shall with exceeding gladness bring The children of His love.



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2 All that the Father gave
His glory shall behold;
Not one whom Jesus came to save
Is missing from His fold.

3 He shall confess His own From every clime and coast, Before His Father's glorious throne, Before the angel host.

4 "O righteous Father, see, In spotless robes arrayed, Thy chosen gifts of love to Me, Before the worlds were made.

5 "By new creation Thine, By purpose and by grace, By right of full redemption Mine, Faultless before Thy face.

6 "As Thou hast loved Me, So hast Thou loved them; Thy precious jewels they shall be, My glorious diadem!" Frances Ridley Havergal, 1871.



THE CHURCH FURTHER DESCRIBED.—IV. ITS EXTENT.

(1) A LITTLE FLOCK.

Luke xii, 32. "Fear not, little flock; for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom."
Tune NOTTINGHAM.

LITTLE flock! So calls He thee,
C. M.
C. M.

A LITTLE flock! So calls He thee,
Who bought thee with His blood;
A little flock, disowned of men,
But owned and loved of God.

2 Church of the everlasting God, The Father's gracious choice, Amidst the voices of this earth How feeble is thy voice!

- 3 A little flock! 'tis well, 'tis well; Such be her lot and name; Through ages past it has been so, And now 'tis still the same.
- 4 But the chief Shepherd comes at length;
 Her feeble days are o'er;
 No more a handful on the earth,
 A little flock no more;
- 5 No more a lily among thorns, Weary, and faint, and few, But countless as the stars of heaven, Or as the early dew.
- 6 Then entering the eternal halls In robes of victory, That mighty multitude shall keep The joyous jubilee.
- 7 Unfading palms they bear aloft, Unfaltering songs they sing, Unending festival they keep, In presence of the King!

Horatius Bonar, D.D., 1856.



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Jer. xxiii. 3. "I will gather the remnant of My flock."

Tune AVEN. S. M.

1 HARK! 'tis the Shepherd's voice,
Who with His flock appears;
He bids the tender lambs rejoice,
And banish all their fears.

2 "A little flock" below, You shall to glory rise:"Fear not," your Father will bestow A kingdom in the skies. 3 "Fear not, ye little flock,"
Whom Jesus Christ redeems;
'Tis yours to feed beside that Rock,
Which sends forth living streams.

4 "Fear not"; believe His word; You are to Jesus given; 'Tis "the good pleasure" of the Lord To bring you safe to heaven!

Joseph Irons, 1819.



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Luke xii. 32. "Fear not, little flock."

FEAR not, O little flock, the foe
Who madly seeks your overthrow,
Nor dread his rage and power:
What though your courage sometimes faints,
His seeming triumph o'er God's saints
Lasts but a little hour.

2 Be of good cheer; your cause belongs To Him who can avenge your wrongs; Then leave it to your Lord; Though hidden yet from all our eyes, He sees the Gideon who shall rise To save us and His word. Tune JORDAN. 886. D.

2 As true as God's own word is true Nor earth nor hell with all their crew Against us shall prevail. A jest and byword are they grown; God is with us, we are His own, Our victory cannot fail.

4 Amen, Lord Jesus, grant our prayer:
Great Captain, now Thine arm make bare:
Fight for us once again:
So shall the saints and martyrs raise
A mighty chorus to Thy praise,
World without end. Amen.

Gustavus Adolphus' battle-hymn, by Altenburg, 1631; Catherine Winkworth (tr.), 1855.



"Lo, a Lamb stood on the mount Sion, and with Him an hundred forty and four thousand." Tune CHURCH TRIUMPHANT. L. M. Or CRASSELIUS.

¹ I LOOKED, and to my raptured eyes Saw Zion's holy mount arise; And on its heavenly summit stood The Lamb once slain—the Lamb of God.

2 Twelve times twelve thousand saints around Were with unearthly glories crowned; Marked on their brows a wondrous name, That name, the Father of the Lamb.

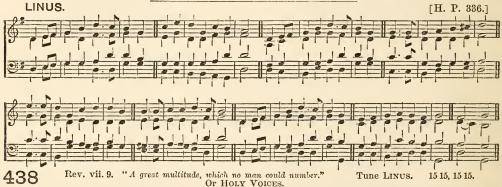
3 I heard from heaven a mighty voice, Like waters' rush, or thunders' noise: And unseen harpers from on high Harped with their harps loud notes of joy.

4 Before the throne, before the throng Of ransomed saints, arose their song: That sweet new song which none might name But those blest followers of the Lamb.

5 These are the pure, of heavenly birth, Cleansed from their native stain of earth; Redcemed to God, of mortal clay, His conscerated first-fruits they.

6 Freed from the fault and guilt of sin, No guile is found their hearts within; Before the eternal throne approved Through Him, whom unto death they loved.

7 And now their glorious Lord, where'er He goes, their footsteps follow near; Nor ever part they from the side Of Him, the Lamb, the Crucified! Professor Scholefield, D.D., 1838.



1 HARK! the sound of holy voices, chanting at the

Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Lord to Thee. Multitude, which none can number, like the stars,

in glory stands Clothed in white apparel, holding palms of victory in their hands.

2 Patriarch, and holy prophet, who prepared the way of Christ,

King, apostle, saint, confessor, martyr, and evan-gelist, Saintly maiden, godly matron, widows who have

watched to prayer,

Joined in holy concert, singing to the Lord of all, are there.

3 They have come from tribulation, and have washed their robes in blood, Washed them in the blood of Jesus; tried they

washed them in the blood of Jesus; tried they were, and firm they stood;
Mocked, imprisoned, stoned, tormented, sawn asunder, slain with sword,
They have conquered death and Satan, by the might of Christ the Lord.

4 Marching with Thy cross their banner, they have triumphed following Thee, the Captain of salvation, Thee their Saviour

and their King; and they suffered; gladly, Lord, with Thee they suffered; gladly, Lord, with Thee they died; And by death to life immortal they were born, and

glorified.

5 Now they reign in heavenly glory, now they walk in golden light, Now they drink, as from a river, holy bliss, yea

infinite: Love and peace they taste for ever; and all truth and knowledge see

In the beatific vision of the blessed Trinity!

6 God of God, the One-begotten, Light of light, Emmanuel, In whose body joined together all the saints for

ever dwell, Pour upon us of Thy fulness, that we may for evermore

God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Ghost adore!

Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1862.

439 Rev. v. 11. "Ten thousand times ten thousand, and thousands of thousands."

I SAW, and lo! a | countless throng, The elect of every | nation, name and tongue, Assembled round the | everlasting throne;

With robes of white endued, the righteous | ness of God!

And each a palm sustained in | his victorious hand; When thus the bright me | lodious choir begun:

"Salvation | to Thy name, Eternal God, and | co-eternal Lamb! In power, in glory, | and in essence, One!"

2 So sang the saints! The an | gelic train Second the anthem | with a loud Amen; (These in the outer circle stood, the | saints were nearest God;)

And prostrate fall, with glory | overpowered, And hide their | faces with their wings, And thus ad | dress the King of kings:

"All hail! by Thy triumphant | church adored! Blessing and thanks and honour too are Thy supreme, Thy | everlasting due,

Our Triune Sovereign, | our propitious Lord!"

3 While I beheld the' a | mazing sight,

A seraph pointed | to the saints in white, And told me who they | were, and whence they came:

"These are they whose lot below was persecution, |

pain, and woe: These are the chosen purchased flock, who | ne'er their Lord forsook:

Through His imputed | merit free from blame;

Redeemed from | every sin: And, as thou seest, whose | garments were made Washed in the blood of | you exalted Lamb.

4 "Saved by His righteous | ness alone, Spotless they | stand before the throne, And in the ethereal | temple chant His praise:

Himself among them deigns to dwell, and face to face His | light reveal:

Hunger and thirst, as heretofore, and pain and heat, they know no more,

Nor need, as once, the | sun's prolific rays:

Emmanuel here His | people feeds, To streams of | joy perennial leads, [face." And wipes, for ever wipes, the | tears from every



PART II.

5 Happy the souls released from fear, And safely landed there!
Some of the shining number | once I knew, And travelled with them here:

Nay some, my elder brethren now, Set later out for heaven, my | junior saints below: Long after me, they heard the | call of grace Which waked them | into righteousness:

How have they got beyond! Converted last, yet | first with glory crowned! Little, once, I thought that these would first the | summit gain, And leave me far behind, slow | journeying through the plain.

6 Loved while on earth! nor less | beloved, though Think not I | envy you your crown: [gone! No! If I could, I | would not call you down!

Though slower is my pace, to you I'll | follow on, Leaning on | Jesus all the way; Who, now and then, lets fall a ray of | comfort from

His throne:

The shinings of His grace soften my passage through the | wilderness;

And vines, nectareous, | spring where briers grew; The sweet unveilings of His face make me, at times, near | half as blest as you!

Oh! might His beauty feast my | ravished eyes. His gladdening | presence ever stay, And cheer me | all my journey through!

But soon the clouds return; my | triumph dies; Damp vapours | from the valley rise, And hide the hill of | Zion from my view.



PART III.
7 Spirit of Light! thrice | holy Dove!
Brighten my sense of | interest in that love
Which knew no birth, and | never shall expire! Electing goodness | firm and free, My whole sal | vation hangs on thee, Eldest and fairest daughter | of eternity! Redemption, grace, and | glory too, Our bliss a | bove, and hopes below, From her, their | parent fountain, flow.

Ah! tell me, Lord, that Thou hast | chosen me!
Thou who hast kindled my intense desire, fulfil the
wish Thy | influence did inspire,

And let me | my election know? Then, when Thy summons bids me |

come up higher,
Well pleased I | shall from life retire,
And join the burning hosts, be | held at distance now!

Augustus M. Toplady, 1759-1774.





EDEN. [H. P. 38.]

441 (3) AMPLITUDE—OUT OF EVERY KINDRED, AND TONGUE, AND PEOPLE, AND NATION.
Rev. vii. 9. "Of all nations, and limitels, and people." Tune EDEN. C. M.

1 SING we the song of those who stand Around the eternal throne, Of every kindred, clime, and land, A multitude unknown.

2 Life's poor distinctions vanish here; To-day the young, the old, Our Saviour and His flock appear

One Shepherd and one fold.

3 Toil, trial, suffering, still await
On earth the pilgrim throng;
Yet learn we, in our low estate,
The church triumphant's song.

people." Tune Eden. C. M. 4 "Worthy the Lamb for sinners slain!"

Cry the redeemed above,
"Blessing and honour to obtain,
And everlasting love."

5 "Worthy the Lamb!" on earth we sing,
"Who died our souls to save!
Henceforth, O Death! where is thy sting?
Thy victory, O Grave?"

6 Then Halleluiah! power and praise To God in Christ be given; May all who now this anthem raise Renew this strain in heaven!

James Montgomery, 1842.

Charles Wesley, 1745. (a.)

442 1 Cor. x. 17. "We, being many, are one bread."

Tune Lebanon. 86, 86, 88.

1 HOW sweet to think that all who love
The Saviour's precious name,
Who look by faith to Him above,
And own His gentle claim,
Though severed wide by land or sea,
Are members of one family.

2 Christians who dwell on snow-clad ground, Or on the burning strand, And those whose happy home is found In our fair, peaceful land, Are linked by more than earthly tie, And form one lovely family.

3 "Our Father," is the hallowed sound They breathe from day to day!





Trained by His love, their steps are found In the same heavenward way; Their joys are one, alike their fears, The same bright hope their exile cheers.

4 Yes, they are one—though some, we know, Have reached the home of love; But those who yet remain below Are one with those above:
In that bright world are mansions fair, And all will soon be gathered there!

Harriet Whittemore. 1836.

MELCOMBE.

[H. P. 24]

L. M.



Rev. vii. 15. "Therefore are they before the throne of God,"

of God," Tune MELCOMBE.

1 LO! round the throne, at God's right hand,
The saints in countless myriads stand,
Of every tongue redeemed to God,
Arrayed in garments washed in blood.

2 Through tribulation great they came; They bore the cross, despised the shame; From all their labours now they rest, In God's eternal glory blest.

3 Hunger and thirst they feel no more: Nor sin, nor pain, nor death deplore; The tears are wiped from every eye, And sorrow yields to endless joy.

4 They see the Saviour face to face, And sing the triumphs of His grace; Him day and night they ceaseless praise: To Him their loud Hosannas raise.

5 Oh may we tread the sacred road
That holy saints and martyrs trod;
Wage to the end the glorious strife,
And win, like them, the crown of life!
Rowland Hill, 1783; and T. Cotterill, 1810.

THE CHURCH FURTHER DESCRIBED. - V. ITS NAMES AND TITLES.

(1) THE BODY OF CHRIST.

444 Eph. i. 22, 23. "Head over all things to the church, which is His body."

Tune Succoth. 87, 87, 77. Or CASSEL.

JOINED to Christ in mystic union,
We Thy members, Thou our Head,
Scaled by deep and true communion,
Risen with Thee, who once were dead—
Saviour, we would humbly claim
All the power of this Thy name.

2 Instant sympathy to brighten All their weakness and their woe, Guiding grace their way to lighten, Shall Thy loving members know; All their sorrows Thou dost bear, All Thy gladness they shall share.

3 Make Thy members every hour
For Thy blessed service meet;
Earnest tongues, and arms of power,
Skilful hands, and hastening feet,
Ever ready to fulfil
All Thy word, and all Thy will.

4 Everlasting life Thou givest,
Everlasting love to see:
They shall live because Thou livest,
And their life is hid with Thee.
Safe Thy members shall be found,
When their glorious Head is crowned!
Sze Hymn 156. Frances Ridley Haveral, 1871.





DEPTFORD.

(2) THE BRIDE OF CHRIST-THE LAMB'S WIFE. 445 Hos. ii. 19, 20. "I will betroth thee unto Me for ever."

1 BETROTHED in love, ere time began, His blood-bought bride with Jesus see; Made by eternal union One, Who was, and is, and is to be.

2 Thus He became her covenant Head: Charged with her sin the Saviour stands, See Hymns 289, 298-300, 317, 335, 338.

To do and suffer, in her stead, All that the righteous law demands. 3 A glorious church, from blemish free, She shall appear before the throne, Christ's everlasting joy to be,
His everlasting love her own!

John Kent, 1803—ver. 3, F. R. H.

Tune HERMON.

L. M.

(3) THE CHURCH OF GOD.

446 Acts xx. 28. "The church of God." Tune DEPTFORD. 10 10, 10 10. 1 66 THE Church of God," amazing, precious thought!

That sinners, vile and outcast, should be brought,

Renewed in heart, and cleansed by Jesu's blood,

To form the body of the "Church of God."

2 The Church is one, it has one glorious Head,

And by one Spirit through this waste is led; And nourishment from Christ, on high,

bestowed. Together binds in one the "Church of God.'

3 United to her risen Head above, Even now she knows the sweetness of His love; His power is hers to help her on the road-Bride of the Lamb-Church of the living God!

[H. P. 315.] 4 Soon will He come, and take His Church away-

And oh, sweet thought! fast hastens on the day, When He will stand with all His saints avowed Head of the Church—the purchased "Church of God!" Albert Midlane, 1864.

(4) THE TEMPLE OF THE HOLY GHOST.

2 Cor. vi. 16. "Ye are the temple of the living God."

Tune HAVILAH. 87, 87, 47. 1 RISING on the one Foundation. Planned and built by God alone. See His chosen habitation, Christ Himself the Corner-stone. Holy temple!

King Messiah's priestly throne. 2 While in Christ the building groweth, Fitly framed of polished stones, All its matchless glory floweth From the blood which there atones.

In this temple God Himself our worship owns.

3 Lo! the ark, the priest, the altar, Incense, bread, and sacred fire, Sacrifice for each defaulter, Joyful praise and holy choir; God's own temple, Chosen rest, and His desire!

4 Are we living stones, united To the temple of the Lord? Then in us He hath delighted, And His love we shall record.

In His temple Be His holy name adored! Joseph Irons, 1825. (a. 1871.)





(5) THE HOUSEHOLD OF FAITH.

448 Eph. iii. 15. "The whole family in heaven and earth."

1 COME let us join our friends above,

4 On

That have obtained the prize,
And on the eagle wings of love,
To joy celestial rise.

2 The saints on earth, and those above, But one communion make; Joined to their Lord in bonds of love, All of His grace partake.

3 One family, we dwell in Him:
One church, above, beneath;
Though now divided by the stream—
The narrow stream, of death.

See Hymn 1092.

arth." Tune FARRANT. C. M. 4 One army of the living God,

To His command we bow; Part of the host have crossed the flood, And part are crossing now.

5 Lo! thousands to their endless home Are swiftly borne away; And we are to the margin come, And soon must launch as they.

6 Lord Jesus, be our constant Guide; Then when the word is given, Bid death's cold flood its waves divide, And land us safe in heaven!

Charles Wesley, 1759. (a.)-ver. 2, Isaac Watts, D.D.

PART III.—Man, and Things Provided for Man.

Тнеме І.-- Жап.

ST. MARY'S; or, HACKNEY.

[H. P. 73.]



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(1) FALLEN. Eph. ii. 3. "By nature the children of wrath."

1 HOW helpless guilty nature lies, Unconscious of its load! The heart unchanged can never rise To happiness and God.

2 Can aught beneath a power Divine The stubborn will subdue?
"Tis Thine, Eternal Spirit, Thine, To form the heart anew.

3 'Tis Thine the passions to recall, And upwards bid them rise; Tune St. MARY. C. M.

And make the scales of error fall From reason's darkened eyes.

4 To chase the shades of death away, And bid the sinner live: A beam of heaven, a vital ray, 'Tis Thine alone to give.

5 Oh change these sinful hearts of ours, And give them life Divine! Then shall our passions and our powers, Almighty Lord, be Thine!

Anne Steele, 1760.

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Gen. vi. 5. "Only evil continually."

ALAS! by nature how deprayed!

Our lives to Satan how enslaved!

How obstinate our will!

2 And can such sinners be restored, Such rebels reconciled? Can grace itself the means afford To make a foe a child? Tune St. MARY. C. M.

3 Yes, grace has found the wondrous means, Which shall effectual prove. To cleanse us from our countless sins, And teach our hearts to love.

4 Jesus for sinners undertakes, And died that we may live; His blood a full atonement makes, And cries aloud, "Forgive!"

John Newton, 1779.



Isa. liii. 6. "All we, like sheep, have gone astray."

Tune DUNDEE. C. M.

- 1 A LMIGHTY Father, God of grace! We all, like sheep astray, In folly from Thy paths have turned, Each to his sinful way.
- 2 Sins of omission and of act Through all our lives abound: Alas! in thought, in word, in deed, No health in us is found.

- 3 Oh spare us, Lord, in mercy spare! Our contrite souls restore, Through Him who suffered on the cross, And man's transgression bore.
- 4 And grant, O Father, for His sake, That we through all our days A just and godly life may lead, To Thine eternal praise!

T. Cotterill, 1812.

SAXONY. [H. P. 32.]

Ps. li. 5. "I was shapen in iniquity."

Tune SAXONY.

- 1 LORD, I am vile, conceived in sin, And born unholy and unclean; Sprung from the man whose guilty fall Corrupts his race, and taints us all.
- 2 Soon as we draw our infant breath, The seeds of sin grow up for death; Thy law demands a perfect heart; We are defiled in every part.
- 3 Great God, create my heart anew, And form my spirit pure and true;

Oh make me wise betimes to see My danger and my remedy.

- 4 Jesus, my Lord, Thy blood alone Hath power sufficient to atone; Thy blood can make me white as snow; No Jewish types could cleanse me so.
- 5 While guilt disturbs and breaks my peace, Nor flesh nor soul hath rest or ease; Lord, let me hear Thy pardoning voice, And make my broken bones rejoice!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1719.

453 Heb. xii. 1. "The sin which doth so easily beset us." Tune ALTORF (repeating last two lines).

87, 887, 88. 1 THAT cherished sin-'twill cost thee

dear; Each spring of comfort stealing; Thy God in mercy will not hear,
Nor wilt thou find His presence near,
While there is double dealing. Reject the thought, that peace within Can harmonise with Achan's sin.

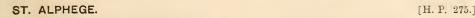
- 2 That cherished sin will paralyse Each effort grace is making; The sickly plant of fervour dies, If God withholds His rich supplies, The wayward child forsaking. In honesty approach the throne, Or grapple with thy foes alone.
- 3 That cherished sin will close the gate

To realms of glory leading,



And leave thee to the hopeless fate Of those who wake, alas! too late, And die, on folly feeding.

Oh! pause in time-and count the cost. Before thy precious soul is lost! From J. Groom's Leaflets, 1846.



Luke xv. 24. "He was lost, and is found."

1 HOW lost was our condition, Till Jesus made us whole! There is but one Physician Can heal the sin-sick soul. In sin and death He found us, He snatched us from the grave: To tell to all around us His wondrous power to save.

See Hymn 170.

Tune St. ALPHEGE. 76, 76. D.

2 The dying, risen Jesus, The dyling, risen Jesus,
Seen by the eye of faith,
At once from anguish frees us,
And frees the soul from death,
How gracious this Physician!
His help He'll freely give;
He makes no hard condition, He bids us look and live!

John Newton, 1779.

ST. MARY'S; or, HACKNEY.

[H. P. 73.]



(3) MORTAL.

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Amos iv. 12. "Prepare to m et thy God." Tune St. MARY. C. M.

- 1 BENEATH our feet, and o'er our head, Is equal warning given; Beneath us lie the countless dead, Above us is the heaven!
- 2 Their names are graven on the stone, Their bones are in the clay; And ere another day is gone, Ourselves may be as they.

- 3 Death rides on every passing breeze, He lurks in every flower; Each season has its own disease, Its peril every hour.
- 4 Turn, mortal, turn! thy danger know: Where'er thy foot can tread,
 The earth rings hollow from below,
 And warns thee of her dead!
- 5 Turn, Christian, turn! thy soul apply To truths divinely given; The bones, that underneath thee lie, Shall live for hell or heaven.

Bishop Heber, 1827.

ST. GEORGE.

[H. P. 265.]



Prov. xxvii. 1. "Boast not thyself of to-morrow." Tune St. George. S. M.

- 1 TO-MORROW, Lord, is Thine, Lodged in Thy sovereign hand; And if its sun arise and shine, It shines by Thy command.
- 2 The present moment flies, And bears our life away :
- Oh, make Thy servants truly wise, That we may live to-day!
- 3 Since on this winged hour Eternity is hung,
 Waken by Thine almighty power The aged and the young.
- 4 One thing demands our care; Oh, be it still pursued! Lest, slighted once, the season fair Should never be renewed.
- 5 To Jesus may we fly, Swift as the morning light,
 Lest life's young golden beams
 should die In sudden, endless night!

Philip Doddridge, D.D., 1755.



Ps. xxxix. 4. "Make me to know mine end."

1 ALMIGHTY Maker of my frame! A Teach me to know how frail I am,
And spend the remnant to Thy praise.

2 My days are shorter than a span, A little point my life appears; How frail at best is dying man! How vain are all his hopes and fears!

See Hymns 735, 978.

Tune CYPRUS. L. M.

3 Vain his ambition, noise, and show; __Vain are the cares which rack his mind; He heaps up treasures mixed with woe, And dies, and leaves them all behind.

4 Oh, be a nobler portion nine!
My God, I bow before Thy throne:
Earth's fleeting treasures I resign, And fix my hopes on Thee alone!

Anne Steele, 1760.

[H. P. 337.]

THEME II .- The Gospel Proclaimed.

FULL AND FREE SALVATION BY JESUS CHRIST. FAITH.

(1) ITS EXCELLENCE.

458 Isa. xlv. 22. "Look unto Me, and be ye saved." Tune FAITH. 129, 119.

1 THERE is life for a look at the Crucified One:

There is life at this moment for thee; Then look, sinner-look unto Him, and be

Unto Him who was nailed to the tree.

2 It is not thy tears of repentance, or prayers, But the blood, that atones for the soul; On Him then, who shed it, believing at Thy weight of iniquities roll. [once,

3 His anguish of soul on the cross hast thou His cry of distress hast thou heard? [seen? Then why, if the terrors of wrath He endured.

Should pardon to thee be deferred?

4 We are healed by His stripes; wouldst thou add to the And He is our Righteousness made: [v The best robe of heaven He bids thee put on; [word? Oh, couldst thou be better arrayed?

5 Then doubt not thy welcome, since God has declared There remaineth no more to be done; That once in the end of the world He appeared, And completed the work He begun.



6 But take, with rejoicing, from Jesus at once The life everlasting He gives; And know, with assurance, thou never canst die, Since Jesus, thy Righteousness, lives.

7 There is life for a look at the Crucified One; There is life at this moment for thee Then look, sinner—look unto Him, and be saved, And know thyself spotless as He!

Amelia Matilda Hull, 1860.



Isa. lxiii. 5. "Mine own arm brought salvation."

1 SALVATION is of God alone, The glorious plan is all His own; In love He formed the great design, And here His grace and wisdom shine. Tune Church Triumphant. L. M. Or GILBOA.

2 Salvation is of God alone: One only Victim could atone For human guilt: that victim He Who claims with God equality.

- 3 Salvation is of God alone; Tis He who breaks the heart of stone, Who makes self-righteousness to cease, And gives the troubled conscience peace.
- 4 Salvation is of God alone; 'Tis He who leads His people on:
 'Tis He who makes their burdens light,
 And shields them in the day of fight.
- 5 Salvation is of God alone; This truth let all His people own, And to His name the praise be given And to His name the praise of street of the Andrews Helly, 1851.

 Thomas Kelly, 1851.



Ps. lxxxv. 10. "Mercy and truth are met together; righteousness and peace have kissed each other."

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Tune NAYLAND. C. M.

Or TALLIS.

- 1 SALVATION! what a glorious plan, How suited to our need! The grace, that raises fallen man, Is wonderful indeed!
- 2 Twas wisdom formed the vast design To ransom us when lost: And love's unfathomable mine Provided all the cost.
- 3 Strict justice, with approving look, The holy covenant sealed:

- And truth, and power, both undertook The whole should be fulfilled.
- 4 Truth, wisdom, justice, power, and love, In all their glory shone, When Jesus left the courts above, And died to save His own.
- 5 Truth, wisdom, justice, power, and love, Are equally displayed, Now Jesus reigns enthroned above, Our Advocate, our Head!

John Newton, 1779.



Heb. ii. 3. "So great salvation." 461 Tune GLOUCESTER (and Chorus). C. M.

1 SALVATION! O the joyful sound! 'Tis pleasure to our ears! A sovereign balm for every wound, A cordial for our fears. Glory, honour, praise, and power, Be unto the Lamb for ever! Jesus Christ is our Redeemer, Hallelujah! praise the Lord.

- 2 Salvation! let the echo fly The spacious earth around: While all the armies of the sky Conspire to raise the sound! Glory, honour, praise, and power, etc.
- 3 Salvation! O Thou bleeding Lamb, To Thee the praise belongs; Salvation shall inspire our hearts, And dwell upon our tongues! Glory, honour, praise, and power, etc. Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709-chorus and third stanza, Anon., 1774.



464 Ps. lxxxix. 15. "Blessed is the people that know the joyful sound." Tune BETHER. C. M.

BLEST are the souls that hear and know The gospel's joyful sound!

Peace shall attend the path they go, And light their steps surround.

2 Their joy shall bear their spirits up, Through their Redeemer's name:

His righteousness exalts their hope, Nor Satan dares condemn.

3 The Lord, our glory and defence, Strength and salvation gives:
Israel, thy God for ever reigns,
Thy God for ever lives!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1719.



465 Rev. xxii. 17. "Whosoever will." Tune, Hymn Chant Smyrna. 888, 6.

1 JUST as thou art, without one trace Of love, or joy, or inward grace, Or meetness for the heavenly place, O guilty sinner, come!

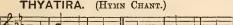
2 Thy sins I bore on Calvary's tree! The stripes, thy due, were laid on Me, That peace and pardon might be free: O wretched sinner, come!

3 Burdened with guilt, wouldst thou be blest? Trust not the world; it gives no rest: I bring relief to hearts oppressed:
O weary sinner, come!

4 Come, leave thy burden at the cross; Count all thy gains but empty dross; My grace repays all earthly loss: O needy sinner, come!

5 Come, hither bring thy boding fears, Thy aching heart, thy bursting tears; 'Tis mercy's voice salutes thine ears, O trembling sinner, come!

6 "The Spirit and the Bride say, Come;"
Rejoicing saints re-echo, Come;
Who faints, who thirsts, who will, may come;
Thy Saviour bids thee come!
Russell Sturyis Cook, 1850.



466 Jer. iii. 22. "Behold, we come unto Thee." Tune, Hymn Chant THYATIRA. Or BETHABARA.

JUST as I am—without one plea, But that Thy blood was shed for me, And that Thou bidd'st me come to Thee, O Lamb of God, I come.

2 Just as I am—and waiting not
 To rid my soul of one dark blot,
 To Thee, whose blood can cleanse each spot,
 O Lamb of God, I come.

3 Just as I am—though tossed about With many a conflict, many a doubt, Fightings within, and fears without, O Lamb of God, I come. 4 Just as I am—poor, wretched, blind, Sight, riches, healing of the mind, Yea, all I need, in Thee to find, O Lamb of God, I come.

5 Just as I am—Thou wilt receive, Wilt welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve; Because Thy promise I believe, O Lamb of God, I come.

6 Just as I am—(Thy love unknown Has broken every barrier down) Now, to be Thine, yea, Thine alone, O Lamb of God, I come.

7 Just as I am—of that free love
The breadth, length, depth, and height to prove,
Here for a season, then above,
O Lamb of God, I come!

Charlotte Elliott, 1841.

[H. P. No. V.]

WINCHESTER.

[H. P. 46.]



467 Luke xiv. 22. "Yet there is room."

1 COME, sinner, to the gospel feast; Oh! come without delay; For there is room in Jesu's breast For all who will obey.

2 There's room in God's eternal love
To save thy precious soul!
Room in the Spirit's grace above
To heal, and make thee whole.

3 There's room within the church redeemed With blood of Christ Divine.

Tune Winchester. C. M. Or Kedar.

Room in the white-robed throng convened, For that dear soul of thine.

4 There's room in heaven among the choir, And harps and crowns of gold, And glorious palms of victory there, And joys that ne'er were told.

5 There's room around thy Father's board For thee and thousands more: Oh! come, and welcome, to the Lord:

Yea, come this very hour! F. D. Huntingdon, 1843.



468 Matt. xi. 29. "Take My yoke upon you." Tune IDUMEA. 87, 87, 47. Or MEDIA

1 COME, ye souls by sin afflicted, Bowed with fruitless sorrow down; By the broken law convicted, Through the cross behold the crown.

Look to Jesus— Mercy flows through Him alone.

2 Take His easy yoke and wear it, Love will make obedience sweet: Christ will give you strength to bear it, While His wisdom guides your feet Safe to glory,

Where His ransomed captives meet.

3 Blessed are the eyes that see Him; Blest the ears that hear His voice: Blessed are the souls that trust Him, And in Him alone rejoice; His commandments

Then become their happy choice! Joseph Swain, 1792.



2 Come, and welcome; rise to glory, Leave this passing world behind: Christ will spread His banner o'er thee, Thou in Him a friend shalt find; Come, and welcome,

To a Saviour good and kind.

469 John vi. 37. "Him that cometh to Me, I will in no wise cast out." Tune IDUMEA. 87, 87, 47.

1 COME, and welcome, to the Saviour,
He in mercy bids thee come:
Come, be happy in His favour,
Longer from Him do not roam; Come, and welcome, Come to Jesus, sinner, come!

3 Come, and welcome: do not linger, Make thy happy choice to-day; True, thou art a guilty sinner,
But He'll wash thy sins away:
Come, and welcome, Time admits of no delay!

Albert Midlane, 1805.

470 Matt. xi. 28. "Come unto Me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.

Tune DISMISSAL. 87, 87, 47. Or HAVILAH.

1 COME, ye sinners, poor and wretched. Weak and wounded, sick and sore: Jesus ready stands to save you, Full of pity joined with power; He is able,

He is willing; doubt no more.

2 Come, ye needy, come, and welcome, God's free bounty glorify; True belief, and true repentance, Every grace that brings us nigh, Without money,

Come to Jesus Christ, and buy.

2 Let not conscience make you linger. Nor of fitness fondly dream; All the fitness He requireth, Is to feel your need of Him:
This He gives you:
"Tis the Spirit's rising beam.

4 Come, ye weary, heavy laden, Lost and ruined by the fall; If you tarry till you're better You will never come at all. Not the righteous, Sinners Jesus came to call.

5 Lo! the incarnate God, ascended, Pleads the merit of His blood; Venture on Him, venture wholly, Let no other trust intrude: None but Jesus Can do helpless sinners good.



6 Saints and angels, joined in concert, Sing the praises of the Lamb; While the blissful seats of heaven Sweetly echo with His name, Hallelujah! Sinners here may sing the same!

Joseph Hart, 1759,



Mark x. 49. "Rise, He calleth thee."
Tune ZAANAIM. 87,87,47.
HARK! the voice of Jesus calling,

Have rest and peace to offer; Rest, poor labouring one, for thee; Take salvation,

Take it now, and happy be."

2 Yes, though high in heavenly glory,
Still the Saviour calls to thee;
Faith can hear His gracious accents—
"Come, thou laden, come to Me;
Take salvation,

Take it now, and happy be."

3 Soon that Voice will cease its calling,
Now it speaks, and speaks to thee
Sinner, heed the gracious message,
To the blood for refuge flee;
Take salvation,

Take it now, and happy be.

4 Life is found alone in Jesus,
Only there 'tis offered thee—
Offered without price or money,
'Tis the gift of God sent free;
Take salvation,

Albert Midlane, 1865.

472 Isa. lv. 1. "Ho, every one that thirsteth, come ye to the waters."

Tune Zaanaim. 87,87,47. Or Idumea.

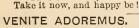
1 HO, ye thirsty! parched and fainting, Here are waters, turn and see! To the thirstiest, poorest, vilest, Without money, all is free— Thirsty sinner! Drink and stay not, 'tis for thee.

2 Ho, ye weary! toiling, burdened,
With a world of woes oppressed;
Come! it is thy Lord invites thee,
Lay thy head upon My breast.
Weary sinner!
Come to Jesus, come and rest.

3 Ho, ye wounded! bruisèd, broken, Come, and health Divine receive; Look to Him who heals the wounded, He alone can healing give. Wounded sinner!

Look to Jesus, look and live!

Horatius Bonar, D D., 1914.



[H. P. 250.]



473 Matt. xi. 28. "Come unto Me."

1 OH come, ye that labour and are heavy laden, Come ye to Jesus for rest and peace. Lo! now He calls, and lovingly invites us. Oh come and fall before Him, Christ the Lord.

2 Jesus is willing! waiting to be gracious; And none that come will He cast out. Dying—He proves His love, all love surpassing. Oh come and fall before Him, Christ the Lord.

3 Jesus is able! from the grave arising, Lo! He proclaimeth His power to save. Tune VENITE ADOREMUS. 12 10, 11 10.

He that is with us is more than all against us, Oh come and fall before Him, Christ the Lord. Savjour of sinners. Chosen of the Father.

4 Saviour of sinners, Chosen of the Father, On Thee alone all our trust we build. Thou art alone a Saviour all-sufficient, Our hearts we bow before Thee, Christ the Lord.

5 Blessing and honour, glory and dominion, Be to the Lamb once for sinners slain. Oh! may we join the everla-ting chorus, And bow with them before Him, Christ the Lord! Edward Harland, 1957. 474 John xii. 32. "If I be lifted up, . mill. draw all men unto Me."

Tune SIHOR.

- 1 FROM the cross uplifted high, Where the Saviour deigns to die, What melodious sounds I hear, Bursting on my ravished ear! Love's redeeming work is done: Come, and welcome, sinner, come.
- 2 Spread for thee the festal board, See with richest dainties stored; To thy Father's bosom pressed, Yet again a child confessed, Never from His house to roam, Come, and welcome, sinner, come.
- 3 Soon the days of life shall end; Lo, I come, your Saviour, Friend, Safe your spirits to convey To the realms of endless day. Up to My eternal home. Come, and welcome, sinner, come.

Thomas Haweis, 1792.

SIHOR (River). [H. P. 158.]

See Hymns 166, 193, 515.

GETHSEMANE.

TH. P. 28.1



(4) EXPOSTULATIONS.

Rev. iii. 20. "Behold I stand at the door, and knock."

Tune GETHSEMANE.

¹ BEHOLD! a Stranger at the door! He gently knocks, has knocked before: Has waited long; is waiting still: You treat no other friend so ill.

2 But will He prove a friend indeed? He will: the very Friend you need: The Man of Nazareth, 'tis He, With garments dyed at Calvary.

3 O lovely attitude! He stands
With melting heart and bleeding hands;
O matchless kindness! and He shows This matchless kindness to His foes!

4 Admit Him, ere His anger burn, His feet depart, and ne'er return. Admit Him, or the hour's at hand When at His door denied you'll stand.

5 Yet know (nor of the terms complain) Where Jesus comes He comes to reign; To reign, and with no partial sway; Thoughts must be slain that disobey.

6 Sovereign of souls! Thou Prince of Peace. Oh, may Thy gentle reign increase:
Throw wide the door, each willing mind,
And be His empire all mankind!

See Humn 1053.

Hos. xiv. 1. "Return unto the Lord thy God" Tune GETHSEMANE. L. M. Or HERMON.

1 RETURN, O wanderer! return! And seek an injured Father's face: Those warm desires that in thee burn Were kindled by reclaiming grace.

2 Return, O wanderer! return! And seek a Father's melting heart,
Whose pitying eyes thy grief discern,
Whose hand can heal thine inward smart.

3 Return, O wanderer! return! He heard thy deep repentant sigh; He saw thy softened spirit mourn, When no intruding ear was nigh.

4 Return, O wanderer! return! Thy Saviour bids thy spirit live; Go to His bleeding feet, and learn How freely Jesus can forgive.

5 Return, O wanderer! return! And wipe away the falling tear; "Tis God who says, "No longer mourn," 'Tis mercy's voice invites thee near.

6 Return, O wanderer! return! Regain thy lost, lamented rest; Jehovah's love for thee doth yearn To clasp His children to His breast! William Bengo Collyer, 1812.

Joseph Grigg, 1765.

Gen. xix. 17. "Escape for thy life." 1 HASTE, traveller, haste, the night comes on,
And many a shining hour is gone;
The storm is gathering in the west,
And thou art far from home and rest:
Haste, traveller, haste!

Tune, Hymn Chant Philadelphia. 88, 88, 4.

2 Oh, far from home thy footsteps stray: Christ is the Life, and Christ the Way, And Christ the Light—yon setting sun Sinks ere the morn is scarce begun: Haste, traveller, haste!



- 3 The rising tempest sweeps the sky, The rain descends, the winds are high; The waters swell, and death and fear Beset thy path—no refuge near: Haste, traveller, haste!
- 4 Oh yes, a shelter you may gain, A covert from the wind and rain, A hiding-place, a rest, a home, A refuge from the wrath to come: Haste, traveller, haste!

- 5 Then linger not in all the plain, Flee for thy life, the mountain gain; Look not behind, make no delay, Oh, speed thee, speed thee on thy way: Haste, traveller, haste!
- 6 Poor, lost, benighted soul, art thou Willing to find salvation now? There yet is hope—hear mercy's call— Truth, life, light, way, in Christ is all! Haste to Him, haste!

William Bengo Collyer, 1829.



478 Isa. lv. 7. "Let him return unto the

Tune MIDIAN. 86, 86, 4.

1 PETURN, O wanderer, to thy home, No Inger now an exile roam In guilt and misery! Return, return!

2 Return, O wanderer, to thy home,
"Tis Jesus calls for thee:
The Spirit and the bride say, Come:
Oh, now for refuge flee!
Return, return!

3 Return, O wanderer, to thy home,
"Tis madness to delay:
There are no pardons in the tomb,
And brief is mercy's day.
Return, return!
Thomas Hastings, 1834.



479 2 Cor. vi. 2. "Behold, now is the accepted time."

Tune VIENNA. 77, 77.

Or LUXEMBURG.

- 1 HASTEN, sinner, to be wise, Stay not for the morrow's sun; Longer wisdom you despise, Harder is she to be won.
- 2 Hasten, mercy to implore, Stay not for the morrow's sun, Lest thy season should be o'er Ere this evening's stage be run.
- 3 Hasten, sinner, to return, Stay not for the morrow's sun,

Lest thy lamp should fail to burn Ere the work of grace is done.

- 4 Hasten, sinner, to be blest, Stay not for the morrow's sun, Lest perdition thee arrest Ere the morrow is begun.
- 5 Lord, do Thou the sinner turn!
 Rouse him from his senseless state;
 Let him not Thy counsel spurn,
 Rue his fatal choice too late!

Thomas Scott, 1773.

480 Jer. xxvii. 13. "Why will ye die?"
Tune St. WERBERGH. 87, 87, 47.

1 SINNERS, will you scorn the message
Sent in mercy from above?
Every sentence, oh how tender!
Every line is full of love!
Listen to it,
Every line is full of love.

2 Hear the heralds of the gospel News from Zion's King proclaim, To each rebel sinner—"Pardon, Free forgiveness in His name;" How important! "Free forgiveness in His name."

Tempted souls, they bring you succour;
Fearful hearts, they quell your fears,
And with news of consolation
Chase away the falling tears:
Tender heralds!

Chase away the falling tears.

4 Who hath our report believed?
Who received the joyful word?
Who embraced the news of pardon
Offered to you by the Lord?
Can you slight it,
Spoken to you by the Lord?

5 O ye angels! hovering round us, Waiting spirits! speed your way; Hasten to the court of Heaven, Tidings bear without delay:

Glad the message will obey!"

Jonathan Allen, 1801.



481 Gal. vi. 10. "As we have therefore opportunity."

Tune Purday. 87, 87, 77, 77.

1 MARK that long dark line of shadows
Stretching far into the past:
Every day it seems to lengthen;
Whither does it tend at last?
Each one added to the hosts
From the present moment flies;
These are time's forgotten ghosts—
Fleeted opportunities.

2 Characters of light or darkness
Gabriel's pen from each requires
God records, if man forgets them,
Numbers each as each expires;
And the awful spectres all
At the day of doom will rise,
Witnesses at Heaven's call—
Fleeted opportunities.

3 Buried powers of good unmeasured, Hardly present did ye seem, Yet I thought I should have treasured, When ye vanished like a dream. Crushing now my sinful soul, All your weight upon it lies; Jesu's blood must o'er you roll, Fleeted opportunities.

Oh, my soul! no further lengthen,
Wilfully, this ghostly train;
Rise, and seek for grace to strengthen.
Where 'twas never sought in vain.
Lost, this hour but adds another
To those solemn witnesses:
Every living soul's thy brother—
Mark thine opportunities!

Ellen Ranyard, 1861.

PURDAY. [H. P. 338.]

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Matt. xii. 43. "Seeking rest, and findeth none,"

1 SINNER, is thy heart at rest?
Is thy bosom void of fear?
Art thou not by guilt oppressed?
Speaks not conscience in thy ear?

Tune SILOAM. 77, 77.

2 Can this world afford thee bliss? Can it chase away thy gloom? Flattering, false, and vain it is: Tremble at the worldling's doom!



- 3 Long the gospel thou hast spurned, Long delayed to love thy God, Stifled conscience, nor hast turned, Still refused the Saviour's blood.
- 4 Think, O sinner, on thy end; See the judgment-day appear,

- Thither must thy spirit tend,
 There thy solemn sentence hear.
- 5 Wretched, ruined, helpless soul,
 To a Saviour's blood apply;
 He alone can make thee whole,
 Fly to Jesus, sinner, fly!
 Jared Bell Waterbury, 1830.

OLD 81st.

(H. P. 75.)

483 Matt. xxiii. 37. "How often would I have gathered thy children together!"

Tune OLD EIGHTY-FIRST. C. M. D. Or EVAN II.

JERUSALEM, Jerusalem! enthronèd once on high, Thou favoured home of God on earth, thou heaven below the sky!

Now brought to bondage with thy sons, a curse and grief to see, Jerusalem, Jerusalem! our tears shall flow for thee.

2 Oh! hadst thou known thy day of grace, and flocked beneath the wing Of Him who called thee lovingly, thine own

anointed King, Then had the tribes of all the world gone up thy

pomp to see, And glory dwelt within thy gates, and all thy sons been free!

- 3 "And who art thou that mournest me?" replied the ruin grey, "And fear'st not rather that thyself may prove a I am a dried and abject branch, my place is given to thee! But woe to every barren graft of thy wild olive tree!
- 4 "Our day of grace is sunk in night, our time of mercy spent,

 For heavy was my children's crime, and strange their punishment.

Yet gaze not idly on our fall, but, sinner, warned be, Who spared not His chosen race may send His

wrath on thee!

5 "Our day of grace is sunk in night, thy noon is in its prime; [time! Oh, turn and seek thy Saviour's face in this accepted So, Gentile, may Jerusalem a lesson prove to thee, And in the New Jerusalem thy home for ever be!"

Bishop Heber, 1811.

484 Prov. xiv. 10. "A stranger doth not intermeddle with his joy." Tune SILOAM. 77,77. Or PLEYEL.

- 1 SINNER, what hast thou to show, Like the joys believers know? Is thy path of fading flowers Half so bright, so sweet, as ours?
- 2 Doth a skilful, healing Friend On thy daily path attend, And where thorns and stings abound, Shed a balm on every wound?
- 3 When the tempest roars on high, Hast thou still a refuge nigh? Can, oh! can thy dying breath Summon One more strong than death?
- 4 Canst thou, in that awful day,
 Fearless tread the gloomy way,
 Plead a glorious ransom given,
 Burst from earth and soar to heaven?

 Charlotte F. Tonna, 1829. (a.)

485 Rev. xx. 11. "I saw a great white throne."

Tune Kedron. 886. D. 1 THOU God of glorious majesty, To Thee, against myself, to Thee, A worm of earth, I cry; A half-awakened child of man, An heir of endless bliss or pain,

A sinner born to die. 2 Lo! on a narrow neck of land, Twixt two unbounded seas, I stand Secure, insensible:

A point of time, a moment's space, Removes me to that heavenly place, Or shuts me up in hell.

3 O God, my inmost soul convert, And deeply on my thoughtful heart Eternal things impress; Give me to feel their solemn weight, And, trembling on the brink of fate, Wake me to righteousness.

See Hymns 1026—1042.

SALISBURY.

4 Before me place, in dread array, The pomp of that tremendous day,
When Thou with clouds shalt come
To judge the nations at Thy bar;
And tell me, Lord, shall I be there,
To meet a joyful doom?

5 Be this my one great business here, With holy diligence and fear, To make my calling sure;

[H. P. 213.] KEDRON (Brook).

Thine utmost counsel to fulfil, And suffer all Thy righteous will, And to the end endure.

6 Then, Saviour, then, my soul receive, Transported from this vale to live And reign with Thee above: Where faith is sweetly lost in sight, And hope in full supreme delight And everlasting love!

Charles Wesley, 1742. (a.)

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(1) GRACE GIVEN TO BELIEVE.

486 Cant. i. 4. "Draw me, we will run after Thee."

1 DRAW me, oh draw me, gracious Lord!
Thy love is all Divine:
All hearts obey Thy sovereign word;
Come, triumph over mine.

2 I've heard the thunders of Thy law; I've felt Thy lifted rod: But 'tis Thy dying love must draw My wayward soul to God.

3 Amidst Thy thunders, Lord, I slept, Against Thy rod rebelled: I looked upon the cross, and wept To see my sins revealed.

Tune Salisbury.

4 My melting heart its power confessed.
The stone to flesh was turned;
Repentance kindled in my breast: I gazed, rejoiced, and mourned.

5 There I beheld a Saviour's love, There saw my sins forgiven: Thence sprang my soul to hopes above, By faith laid up in heaven.

6 Now, Saviour, now I come to Thee, Constrained by grace Divine: I yield me to Thy will, to be For ever, ever Thine!

Professor Scholefield, D.D., 1836.

(2) SALVATION BY GRACE.

487 Rom. iv. 25. "Who was delivered for our offences, and was raised again for our justification." Tune EDEN.

1 A LL that I was, my sin, my guilt, My death, was all my own: All that I am I owe to Thee, My gracious God, alone.

2 The evil of my former state Was mine, and only mine:

The good in which I now rejoice Is Thine, and only Thine.

3 The darkness of my former state, The bondage—all was mine; The light of life in which I walk, The liberty—is Thine.



"Come unto Me, and rest;
Lay down, thou weary one, lay down
Thy head upon My breast."
I came to Jesus as I was,
Weary, and worn, and sad:
I found in Him a resting-place, And He has made me glad.

2 I heard the voice of Jesus say, "Behold, I freely give The living water—thirsty one, Stoop down, and drink, and live."

Of that life-giving stream;
My thirst was quenched, my soul revived,
And now I live in Him.

3 I heard the voice of Jesus say,
"I am this dark world's Light;
Look unto Me, thy morn shall rise,
And all thy day be bright."
I looked to Jesus, and I found

In Him my Star, my Sun;
And in that Light of Life I'll walk
Till travelling days are done! Horatius Bonar, D.D., 1850.

IONA. [H. P. 37.]

Col. iii, 11. "Christ is All, and in all."

1 I 'VE found the Pearl of greatest price, My heart doth sing for joy; And sing I must, a Christ I have— Oh what a Christ have I!

2 Christ is a Prophet, Priest, and King: A Prophet full of light, A Priest that stands twixt God and man,

A King that rules with might. 3 My Christ, He is the Lord of lords, He is the King of kings; He is the Sun of righteousness, With healing in His wings.

4 My Christ, He is the Tree of life, Who in God's garden grows,

C. M. Tune Iona.

Whose fruit does feed, whose leaves do heal; My Christ is Sharon's Rose.

5 Christ is my meat, Christ is my drink, My medicine, and my health, My peace, my strength, my joy, my crown, My glory, and my wealth.

6 Christ is my father, and my friend,

My brother, and my love, My head, my hope, my counsellor, My advocate above.

 7 My Christ, He is the heaven of heavens, My Christ what shall I call!
 My Christ is first, my Christ is last, My Christ is All in all! John Mason, 10 John Mason, 1683.



Isa. liii. 6. "The Lord hath laid on Him the iniquity of us all." Tune MAHANAIM. 76, 76, D. Or MUNICH.

¹ I LAY my sins on Jesus, The spotless Lamb of God; He bears them all, and frees us

From the accursed load.

I bring my guilt to Jesus,
To wash my crimson stains
White in His blood most precious, Till not a spot remains.

2 I lay my wants on Jesus, All fulness dwells in Him;

He healeth my diseases,

He doth my soul redeem.

I lay my griefs on Jesus,
My burdens and my cares;
He from them all releases, He all my sorrows shares.

3 I rest my soul on Jesus, This weary soul of mine; His right hand me embraces, I on His breast recline.

I love the name of Jesus-Emmanuel, Christ, the Lord; Like fragrance on the breezes, His name abroad is poured.

4 I long to be like Jesus,
Meek, loving, lowly, mild;
I long to be like Jesus,
The Father's Holy Child;
I long to be with Jesus,
Amid the heavenly throng;
To sing with saints His praises,
To learn the angels' sour!

To learn the angels' song! Horatius Bonar, D.D., 1845.



Luke xv. 24. "He was lost, and is found." Tune Patmos. 77. 77.

1 WE were lost, but we are found; Dead, but now alive are we; We were sore in bondage bound, Sick, and He from stain of sin But our Jesus sets us free. Cleanses with His righteousness.

3 Therefore will we sing His praise, Who His lost ones has restored, Hearts and voices both shall raise Hallelujahs to the Lord! John S. B. Monsell, LL.D., 1863.



492 John xv. 5. "Without Me ye can do nothing."

1 CONTENT and glad I'll ever be, To have salvation, Lord, from Thee, Even as a sinner poor: I nothing have, I nothing am, My treasure's in the bleeding Lamb, Both now and evermore.

886. D. Tune BRIDEHEAD.

2 The more through grace myself I know,
The more content I am to bow,
And sink beneath Thy cross;
To live by faith upon Thy blood,
To wait on Thee for every good,
And count my gain but loss!

William Batty, 1757.





3 To-day as yesterday the same,
Christ for me;
How precious is His balmy name,
Christ for me;
Christ as mere man may answer you,
Who everyly winding yeth answer.

Who error's winding path pursue; But I with part can never do; Christ for me-Christ for me.

93 Ps. lvii. 7. "My heart is fixed, O God." Tune Lois. 83, 83, 888, 33.

1 MY heart is fixed, eternal God. Fixed on Thee; And my immortal choice is made,

Christ for me; He is my Prophet, Priest, and King, Who did for me salvation bring, And while I ve breath I mean to sing Christ for me-Christ for me.

2 In Him I see the Godhead shine,

Christ for me,
He is the Majesty Divine,
Christ for me;
The Father's well-beloved Son,
Co-partner of His royal throne, Who did for human guilt atone, Christ for me-Christ for me.

4 Let others boast of heaps of gold, Christ for me;

His riches never can be told,

Christ for me;
Your gold will waste and wear away,
Your honours perish in a day; My portion never can decay, Christ for me—Christ for me.

5 In pining sickness, or in health,

Christ for me:
In deepest poverty or wealth,
Christ for me:

And in that all-important day When I the summons must obey, And pass from this dark world away, Christ for me-Christ for me

Richard Jukes, 1862.



494 Ps. xl. 2. "He . . . set my feet upon a rock."

Tune MAMRE. 88, 88, 88.

- 1 MY hope is built on nothing less Than Jesu's blood and righteousness:
 I dare not trust the sweetest frame, But wholly lean on Jesu's name:
 On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand,
 All other ground is sinking sand.
- 2 When darkness veils His glorious face. I rest on His unchanging grace In every high and stormy gale, My anchor holds within the veil: On Christ, etc.
- 3 His oath, His covenant, and His blood, Support me in the sinking flood;
 When all around my soul gives way,
 He then is all my hope and stay:
 On Christ, etc.
- 4 When the last awful trump shall sound, Oh, may I then in Him be found, Clothed in His righteousness alone, Faultless to stand before the throne: On Christ, etc.

Edward Mote, 1825. (a.)



495 Eph. ii. 8. "Not of yourselves; it is the gift of God."

Tune London New. C. M.

1 'TIS not by works of righteousness Which our own hands have done, But we are saved by sovereign grace, Abounding through the Son.

2 'Tis from the mercy of our God
That all our hopes begin;
Tis by the water, and the blood,
Our souls are washed from sin.

3 'Tis through the purchase of His death Who hung upon the tree, The Spirit is sent down to breathe On such dry bones as we.

4 Raised from the dead we live anew; And, justified by grace, We shall appear in glory too, And see our Father's face!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.

496 Heb. xii. 2. "Looking unto Jesus." Tune Stobel. 664, 6664.

1 MY faith looks up to Thee, Thou Lamb of Calvary, Saviour Divine: Now hear me while I pray; Take all my guilt away; Oh! let me from this day Be wholly Thine.

2 May Thy rich grace impart
Strength to my fainting heart,
My zeal inspire:
As Thou hast died for me,
Oh! may my love to Thee
Pure, warm, and changeless be,
A living fire.

3 While life's dark maze I tread, And griefs around me spread, Be Thou my Guide; Bid darkness turn to day, Wipe sorrow's tears away, Nor let me ever stray From Thee aside.



4 When ends life's transient dream, When death's cold sullen stream Shall o'er me roll, Blest Saviour! then in love, Fear and distrust remove; Oh! bear me safe above, A ransomed soul! Ray Palmer, D.D., 1834.

FRANCONIA.

[H. P. 87.]



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Eph. ii. 8. "It is the gift of God."
Tune Franconia. S. M.

1 FAITH is the gift of God,
By His own Spirit wrought;
The eye that sees, the hand that takes.
The blessings Christ hath bought.

2 Jesus it owns as King, And all-atoning Priest; It claims no merit of its own, But looks for all in Christ.

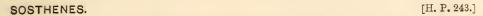
See Hymns 1043-1062.

3 To Him it leads the soul,
When filled with deep distress,
Flies to the fountain of His blood,
And trusts His righteousness.

4 All through the wilderness
It is our strength and stay;
Nor can we miss the heavenly road,
If faith direct our way.

5 Lord, 'tis Thy work alone, And that divinely free; Send down the Spirit of Thy Son, To work this faith in me!

B. Beddome, 1769 .- ver. 1, F. R. H.





498 Ps. lxxxiv. 6. "Passing through the valley of Baca make it a well." Tune Sosthenes. 10 11 11 11, 12 11.

WEEP, pilgrim, weep! yet 'tis not for the sorrow Which follows thy steps in this wilderness

way: Not as the hopeless who darken to-morrow With cares which might well be enough for to-day: The days of thy mourning an end soon shall see, There are songs in the valley of Baca for thee!

2 Mourn, pilgrim, sadly and bitterly mourn! For this is the valley of shadows and tears; Yet not for past pleasures which may not return, Nor childhood's decay with its young, happy years.

There are causes of sorrow, more sad and more true, Yet songs in the valley of Baca for you!

3 Sigh, Christian pilgrim, for sins deeply sigh, Which crucify Jesus again and again!

Let rivers of water flow down from your eye, That He, the Beloved, is rejected of men: Yet healing is found in the blood of the tree, There are songs in the valley of Baca for thee!

- 4 Joy, pilgrim, joy! 'mid thy bosom's deep swelling, Look up! there are fountains of life by the way: Springs from the rock in the wilderness welling; And comfort for thee, if that rock be thy stay— A sinner forgiven! a bondsman made free! Who should sing in the valley of Baca like thee?
- 5 Sing, pilgrim, sing! let the theme of thy singing
 Be Jesus the Conqueror, Jesus the Lamb!
 Let the wide earth with His glory be ringing;
 Let praises for ever ascend to His name!
 The journey is rough, but the way is not long;
 Through the valley of Baca let Christ be thy song!

Horatius Bonar, D.D., 1844.



(4) REPENTANCE.

499 Acts xi. 18. "God . . . grantel repentance unto life." Tune FARRANT. C. M. Or St. MARY.

- 1 COME, O Thou all-victorious Lord; Thy power to us make known; Come by Thy Spirit and Thy word, And break these hearts of stone.
- 2 Oh that we all might now begin Our foolishness to mourn, And turn at once from every sin, And to our Saviour turn!
- 3 Give us ourselves and Thee to know In this our gracious day;

Repentance unto life bestow, And take our sins away.

- 4 That solemn sense of guilt impart Then, Lord, remove the load: Comfort, and wash the troubled heart In Thine atoning blood.
- 5 Our lost estate through sin declare, But speak our sins forgiven: In faith, in holiness, prepare, And call us home to heaven!

Charles Wesley, 1746. (a.)



500 Exod. xv. 26. "I am the Lord that health thee."

Tune CARMEL. C. M.

HEAL us, Emmanuel! here we are, Waiting to feel Thy touch:
Deep-wounded souls to Thee repair, And, Saviour, we are such.

2 Our faith is feeble, we confess, We faintly trust Thy word; But wilt Thou pity us the less? Be that far from Thee, Lord!

3 Remember him who once applied With trembling for relief;
"Lord, I believe," with tears he cried,
"Oh, help my unbelief!" 4 She, too, who touched Thee in the press, And healing virtue stole, Was answered, "Daughter, go in peace, Thy faith hath made thee whole."

5 Concealed amid the gathering throng She would have shunned Thy view, And if her faith was firm and strong, Had strong misgivings too.

6 Like her, with hopes and fears, we come To touch Thee, if we may; Oh! send us not despairing home, h! send us not despending! Send none unhealed away! William Couper, 1779.

ST. BRIDE.



501 Ps. li. 1. "Have mercy upon me, O God."

1 HAVE mercy, Lord, on me, As Thou wert ever kind; Let me, oppressed with loads of guilt, Thy wonted mercy find.

2 Blot out, O Lord, my sins, Nor me in anger view; Create in me a heart that's clean, An upright mind renew.

Tune St. BRIDE.

3 Withdraw not Thou Thy help, Nor cast me from Thy sight; Nor let Thy Holy Spirit take His everlasting flight.

4 The joy Thy favour gives Let me again obtain, And Thy free Spirit's firm support My fainting soul maintain!

Tate and Brady, 1696.

GETHSEMANE.

[H. P. 28.]



502 "With the Lord there is mercy." Ps. cxxx. 7.

1 HAVE mercy, Lord! O Lord, forgive; H Let the repenting sinner live; Is not Thy mercy great and free? May not the sinner trust in Thee?

2 Wash us from all our sins, O God, In Thy dear Son's atoning blood; Hear those who come before Thy throne, Pleading His merits, not their own.

Tune Gethsemane. L. M.

3 Though we have grieved Thy Spirk, Lord, His gracious presence still afford; And now salvation's joys impart, To heal the broken, contrite heart.

4 A broken heart, O God our King, Is all the sacrifice we bring; Thou, God of grace, wilt not despise A broken heart in sacrifice. Isaac Watts, D.D., 1719,

503 Ps. cxxx. 2. "Lord, hear my voice."

1 IN sorrow and distress, To Thee, O Lord, we fly; In penitential lowliness To Thee for mercy cry.

Tune St. BRIDE. S. M.

2 Mercy, oh mercy, Lord! From Thee we have our breath: We read it written in Thy word, "God willeth not your death:

- 3 "God gave His only Son Your sins to take away; And God's dear Son to heaven is gone On your behalf to pray."
- 4 By Thine own love we plead, Oh hearken to our prayer; By Him, who for our sins did bleed, Spare us, O Father, spare.
- 5 Our drooping minds refresh With showers of heavenly dew; For hearts of stone give hearts of flesh— Renew us, Lord, renew.

PART II.

6 Comfort and make us whole
With Thy free Spirit's grace;
Lift up, O Lord, upon our soul
The lustre of Thy face.

- 7 With Jesu's white robe hide Our manifold offence; And cleanse with blood from Jesu's side Our tears of penitence.
- 8 Constrain us to abhor

 The sins that made Him grieve;
 And ne'er to tempt the Spirit more
 Our thankless hearts to leave.
- 9 Make us, O Lord, to tread The path which Jesus trod; Which Him from earth in triumph led To the right hand of God.
- 10 So with the saints in heaven
 May we sing praise to Thee,
 For peace restored, and sins forgiven—
 To all eternity!
 Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1862.

(5) RENUNCIATION OF THE WORLD.

504 Heb. xi. 13. "Confessed that they were strangers and pilgrims on the earth."

Tune BEULAH. 64, 64, 6664.

I Heaven is my home.

I'M but a stranger here,
Heaven is my home;
Earth is a desert drear,
Heaven is my home.
Danger and sorrow stand
Round me on every hand;
Heaven is my fatherland,
Heaven is my home.

2 What though the tempest rage, Heaven is my home; Short is my pilgrimage, Heaven is my home. And time's wild wintry blast Soon shall be overpast; I shall reach home at last— Heaven is my home.

3 There, at my Saviour's side,
Heaven is my home;
I shall be glorified,
Heaven is my home.
There are the good and blest,
Those I love most and best;
And there I too shall rest—
Heaven is my home.

BEULAH. [H. P. 102.]

4 Therefore I murmur not,
Heaven is my home;
Whate'er my earthly lot,
Heaven is my home,
And I shall surely stand
There at my Lord's right hand;
Heaven is my fatherland,
Heaven is my home!
Thomas Rawson Taylor, 1836.

FRENCH; or, DUNDEE.

[H. P. 65.]

Jer. xxxi. 14. "My people shall be satisfied with My goodness."

Tune French. C. M.

1 LET worldly minds the world pursue,
It has no charms for me;
Once I admired its trifles too,
But grace has set me free.

2 Its pleasures now no longer please, No more content afford; Far from my heart be joys like these, Now I have seen the Lord.

3 As by the light of opening day
The stars are all concealed,
So earthly pleasures fade away
When Jesus is revealed.

4 Creatures no more divide my choice,

I bid them all depart;
His name, and love, and gracious voice,
Have fixed my roving heart.

5 Now, Lord, I would be Thine alone, And wholly live to Thee; But may I hope that Thou wilt own A worthless worm like me?

I had refused Thee still!

6 Yes! though of sinners I'm the worst, I cannot doubt Thy will; For if Thou hadst not loved me first,

John Newton, 1779.



Col. iii. 2. Set your agreement of the This world, this world of ours;

This world, this world of ours;

This world, this world of ours; Col. iii. 2. "Set your affection on things above." We thought its skies were sunshine all, And all its fields were flowers.

2 But soon o'erclouded are its skies, Its flowers they fade away; Our youthful hopes are vanishing, Our early joys decay.

3 Another light is breaking bright, Which beams from heaven on high; And other flowers are blossoming, Which cannot fade or die.

4 Above us is a brighter land,

To which we seek to come; Our sure and quiet resting-place, Our everlasting home.

5 Its fields are ever beautiful. Its skies are ever fair, Its day is always clear and bright,

For Christ, its Sun, is there. 6 O Sun of Righteousness, arise; Thy light upon us beam; For all this life is but a sleep, And all this world a dream!

Horatius Bonar, D.D., 1844.

508 Num. x. 29. "Come thou with us, and we will do thee good." Tune Honidon. 77, 77. D. Or Samaria.

1 PEOPLE of the living God, I have sought the world around, Paths of sin and sorrow trod, Peace and comfort nowhere found! Now to you my spirit turns, Turns, a fugitive unblest; Brethren, where your altar burns, Oh receive me into rest!



3 His love in time past Forbids me to think

He il leave me at last in trouble to sink; Each sweet Ebenezer I have in review [through. Confirms His good pleasure To help me quite

4 Determined to save, He watched o'er my path When, Satan's blind slave, I sported with death: And can He have taught me To trust in His name,

And thus far have brought me To put me to shame?

Temptation or pain? He told me no less: The heirs of salvation, I know from His word, Through much tribulation Must follow their Lord.

6 How bitter that cup No heart can conceive. Which He drank quite up That sinners might live! His way was much rougher And darker than mine: Did Christ, my Lord, suffer, And shall I repine?

7 Since all that I meet Shall work for my good,
The bitter is sweet, The medicine is food;
Though painful at present, Twill cease before long,
And then, oh how pleasant The conqueror's song! John Newton, 1779,



Ps. cxxxvii. 4. "A strange land." 512 Tune St. BRIDE.

1 FAR from my heavenly home, Far from my Father's breast, Fainting I cry, blest Spirit, come, And speed me to my rest.

2 Upon the willows long My harp has silent hung; How should I sing a cheerful song Till Thou inspire my tongue?

And fain would thither flee;
My heart, O Zion, droops and mourns,
While I remember thee.

4 To thee, to thee I press, A dark and toilsome road; When shall I pass the wilderness, And reach the saints' abode?

5 God of my life, be near, On Thee my hopes I cast, Oh guide me through the desert here, And bring me home at last.

Henry Francis Lyte, 1847.

513 Ps. xlii. 2. "My soul thirsteth for God."
Tune St. Chrysostom. C. M.

AS pants the hart for cooling streams, When heated in the chase, So pants my soul, O God, for Thee And Thy refreshing grace.

2 For Thee, my God—the living God— My thirsty soul doth pine; Oh! when shall I behold Thy face, Thou Majesty Divine?

3 I sigh to think of happier days,
When Thou, O Lord, wert nigh;
When every heart was tuned to praise, And none more blest than I.

4 Oh! why art thou cast down, my soul? Hope still, and thou shalt sing The praise of Him who is thy God, Thy health's eternal spring! Tate and Brady, 1696.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM.

[H. P. 53.]





"In quietness and in confidence shall be your strength." Isa. xxx. 15. Tune Gethsemane. L. M.

1 BE still, my heart! These anxious cares D To thee are burdens, thorns, and snares; They cast dishonour on the Lord, And contradict His gracious word.

2 Brought safely by His hand thus far, Why wilt thou now give place to fear? How canst thou want if He provide, Or lose thy way with such a Guide?

3 When first before His mercy-seat Thou didst to Him thine all commit, He gave thee warrant, from that hour, To trust His wisdom, love, and power. 4 Did ever trouble yet befall, And He refuse to hear thy call? And has He not His promise passed, That thou shalt overcome at last?

5 He who has helped me hitherto Will help me all my journey through; And give me daily cause to raise New Ebenezers to His praise.

6 Though rough and thorny be the road, It leads thee home, apace, to God: Then count thy present trials small, For heaven will make amends for all! John Newton, 1779.

FARRANT. [H. P. 67.]

515 Heb. iv. 16. "Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace."

C. M. Tune FARRANT.

1 APPROACH, my soul, the mercy-seat A Where Jesus answers prayer; There humbly fall before His feet, For none can perish there.

2 Thy promise is my only plea, With this I venture nigh; Thou callest burdened souls to Thee, And such, O Lord, am I.

3 Bowed down beneath a load of sin. By Satan sorely pressed, By war without, and fears within, I come to Thee for rest.

4 Be Thou my shield and hiding-place!
That, sheltered near Thy side,
I may my fierce accuser face,
And tell him Thou hast died.

5 O wondrous love, to bleed and die, To bear the cross and shame,
That guilty sinners, such as I,
Might plead Thy gracious name!

6 "Poor tempest-tossed soul, be still, My promised grace receive:"
"Tis Jesus speaks—I must, I will,
I can, I do believe! John Ne John Newton, 1779.

516 Ps. xxxviii. 15. "In Thee, O Lord, do I hope.'
Tune GETHSEMANE. L. M.

1 GOD of my life, to Thee I call, Afflicted at Thy feet I fall; When the great water-floods prevail, Leave not my trembling heart to fail.

2 Friend of the friendless and the faint, Where should I lodge my deep complaint? Where, but with Thee, whose open door Invites the helpless and the poor?

3 Did ever mourner plead with Thee, And Thou refuse the mourner's plea? Does not Thy word still fixed remain, That none shall seek Thy face in vain?

4 That were a grief I could not bear, Didst Thou not hear and answer prayer: But a prayer-hearing, answering God, Supports me under every load.

5 Fair is the lot that's cast for me; I have an Advocate with Thee: They whom the world caresses most Have no such privilege to boast.

6 Poor though I am, despised, forgot, Yet God—my God—forgets me not; And he is safe, and must succeed, For whom the Lord vouchsafes to plead! William Couper, 1779. 517 Isa. xliv. 21. "Thou shalt not be forgotten of Me."
Tune FARRANT. C. M.

1 O THOU, from whom all goodness flows ! I lift my soul to Thee:

In all my sorrows, conflicts, woes, Good Lord! remember me.

2 When, on my groaning, burdened heart, My sins lie heavily,

My pardon speak, new peace impart; In love remember me.

3 When trials sore obstruct my way, And ills I cannot flee, Oh! give me strength, Lord, as my day:

For good remember me.

4 Distressed with pain, disease, and grief, This feeble body see:

Grant patience, rest, and kind relief: Hear and remember me. 5 If on my face for Thy dear name,

Shame and reproaches be All hail reproach, and welcome shame, If Thou remember me.

6 And oh! when in the hour of death I own Thy just decree, Be this the prayer of my last breath, Dear Lord, remember me!

Thomas Haweis, LL.D., 1790.



"We also joy in God, through our Lord Jesus Christ." Rom. v. 11. Tune, Hymn Chant SARDIS. 10 10, 10 10.

- 1 I THOUGHT upon my sins, and I was sad, My soul was troubled sore, and filled with pain; But then I thought on Jesus, and was glad; My heavy grief was turned to joy again.
- 2 I thought upon the law, the fiery law-Holy, and just, and good in its decree;
 I looked to Jesus, and in Him I saw
 That law fulfilled, its curse endured for me.
- 3 I thought I saw an angry, frowning God, Sitting as Judge upon the great white throne; My soul was overwhelmed; then Jesus showed His gracious face, and all my dread was gone.
- 4 I saw my sad estate, condemned to die:
 Then terror seized my heart, and dark despair:
 But when to Calvary I turned my eye, I saw the cross, and read forgiveness there.
- 5 I saw that I was lost, far gone astray. No hope of safe return there seemed to be; But then I heard that Jesus was the way, A new and living way prepared for me.
- 6 Then in that way—so free, so safe, so sure— Sprinkled all o'er with reconciling blood, Will I abide, and never wander more, Walking along in fellowship with God! Horatius Bonar, D.D., 1843.







(7) ENCOURAGEMENT.

Heb. xii. 2. "Looking unto Jesus." 519 Tune PURDAY. 87,87,77. Or SUCCOTH.

- 1 YES! He knows the way is dreary,
 Knows "the weakness of our frame,"
 Knows that hand and heart are weary—
 He "in all points" felt the same. He is near to help and bless; Be not weary, onward press.
- 2 Look to Him, who once was willing All His glory to resign; That, for thee the law fulfilling, All His merit might be thine. Strive to follow, day by day, Whore His footcore mark the way. Where His footsteps mark the way.
- 3 Look to Him—the Lord of glory-Tasting death to win thy life; Gazing on that "wondrous story, Canst thou falter in the strife?
 Is it not new life to know
 That the Lord hath loved thee so?
- 4 Look to Him—who ever liveth,
 Interceding for His own;
 Seek, yea claim, the grace He giveth
 Freely from His priestly throne:
 Will He not thy strength renew,
 With His Spirit's quickening dew?
- 5 Look to Him-and faith shall brighten, Hope shall soar, and love shall burn, Peace once more thy heart shall lighten; Rise! He calleth thee: return! Be not weary on thy way; Jesus is thy strength and stay! Frances Ridley Havergal, 1867.

2 Thess. iii. 13. "Be not weary."

1 "BE not weary," toiling Christian, good the Master thou dost serve;

Let no disappointment move thee, from thy service never swerve:

Sow in hope, nor cease thy sowing; lack not patience, faith, or prayer:

Seedtime passeth; harvest hasteneth; precious

sheaves thou then shalt bear.

Tune LINUS. 15 15, 15 15,

2 "Be not weary," praying Christian, open is thy Father's ear

To the fervent supplication and the agonising

prayer; Prayer the Holy Ghost begetteth—be it words, or groans, or tears—
Is the prayer that's always answered; banish then

thy doubts and fears.



3 "Be not weary," suffering Christian, scourged is each adopted child, Else would grow in sad profusion nature's fruit, perverse and wild; Chastening's needful for the spirit, though 'tis painful for the flesh; God designs a blessing for thee; let this thought thy soul refresh.

4 "Be not weary," tempted Christian, sin can only lure on earth;
Faith is tried by sore temptation; 'tis the furnace proves its worth;
Bounds are set unto the tempter, which beyond he cannot go;
Battle on, on God relying, faith will overcome the

5 "Be not weary," weeping Christian, tears endure but for the night;
Joy, deep joy, thy spirit greeting, will return with morning light;
Every tear thou shedd'st is numbered in the register above!

Heaven is tearless; sweet the prospect—sighless, tearless land of love!

PART II.

6 "Be not weary," hoping Christian, though the vision tarry long;
Hope will bring the blessing nearer, change thy sorrow into song:

Nought shall press thy spirit downwards, if thy hopes all brightly shine;

Hold thy hope, whater thou loosest—living, precious hopes are thine!

7 "Be not weary," troubled Christian, rest remains for thee on high; [joy: Dwell upon the untold glory of thy future home of There nor sin nor sorrow entereth; there thy soul attuned to praise
Shall, in strains of heavenly fulness, songs of

happy triumph raise.

8 "Be not weary," loving Christian, in this heavenly grace abound; Jesus, well thou knowest, loved thee, though in

mad rebellion found;
Drink, drink deeply of His Spirit—Jesu's love knows great nor small;

Nature loves but what is lovely—grace embraceth one and all.

9 Christian, thus in grace unwearied pass thy sojourn here below;
 Spurn lukewarmness, let thy bosom ever with true fervour glow!
 Look to Christ, thy bright Exemplar, copy Him in all His ways;
 Let thy life and conversation tell to thy Re-

deemer's praise!

Albert Midlane, 1864.



521 2 Cor. iv. 1. "As we have received mercy, we faint not."
1 FAINT not, Christian! though the road 4 I

Leading to thy blest abode
Darksome be, and dangerous too—
Christ, thy Guide, will bring thee through.

2 Faint not, Christian! though in rage Satan would thy soul engage: Gird on faith's anointed shield, Bear it to the battle-field.

3 Faint not, Christian! though the world Hath its hostile flag unfurled; Hold the cross of Jesus fast, Thou shalt overcome at last.

4 Faint not, Christian! though within There's a heart so prone to sin; Christ the Lord is over all, He'll not suffer thee to fall.

5 Faint not, Christian! though thy God Smite thee with the chastening rod: Smite He must with father's care, That He may His love declare.

6 Faint not, Christian! Jesu's near; Soon in glory He'll appear: Then shall cease thy toil and strife, Thou shalt wear the "crown of life!" James Harington Evans, 1830.



Isa. xxxiii. 22. "The Lord is our King; He will save us." 1 CIVE to the winds thy fears;

Hope, and be undismayed

God hears thy sighs, and counts thy tears; God shall lift up thy head.

2 Through waves, and clouds, and storms, He gently clears thy way; Wait thou His time; so shall the night Soon end in joyous day.

3 He everywhere hath sway, And all things serve His might; His every act pure blessing is, His path unsullied light.

4 When He makes bare His arm, What shall His work withstand? When He His people's cause defends, Who, who shall stay His hand?

5 Leave to His sovereign sway To choose and to command; With wonder filled, thou then shalt own How wise, how strong His hand.

Tune NARENZA.

6 Thou seest our weakness, Lord, Our hearts are known to Thee: Oh! lift Thou up the sinking hand, Confirm the feeble knee!

7 Let us, in life and death, Thy steadfast truth declare;
Proclaiming, with our latest breath,
Thy love and guardian care! P. Gerhardt, 1659; John Wesley (tr.), 1739. (a.)

CRASSELIUS; or, WINCHESTER NEW. [H. P. 3.]

2 Tim. i. 12. "I am not ashamed: for I know whom I have believed." Tune Crasselius.

1 JESUS! and shall it ever be? A mortal man ashaned of Thee! Ashamed of Thee, whom angels praise, Whose glories shine through endless days.

2 Ashamed of Jesus! sooner far Let evening blush to own a star He sheds the beams of Light Divine O'er this benighted soul of mine.

3 Ashamed of Jesus! just as soon Let midnight be ashamed of noon: "Tis midnight with my soul, till He, Bright Morning Star, bids darkness flee. 4 Ashamed of Jesus! that dear Friend On whom my hopes of heaven depend? No! when I blush, be this my shame, That I no more revere His name.

5 Ashamed of Jesus! yes I may, When I've no guilt to wash away, No tear to wipe, no good to crave, No fears to quell, no soul to save.

6 Till then—nor is my boasting vain— Till then I boast a Saviour slain: And oh! may this my glory be, That Christ is not ashamed of me! J. Grigg, 1765; B. Francis, 1787.

GOSHEN. [H. P. 125.]

524 Heb. xii. 12. "Lift up the hands which hang down, and the feeble knees." Tune Goshen. 76, 76.

1 O FAINT and feeble hearted! O Why thus east down with fear? Fresh aid shall be imparted, Thy God unseen is near.

2 His eye can never slumber, He marks thy cruel foes; Observes their strength, their number, And all thy weakness knows.

3 Though heavy clouds of sorrow Make dark thy path to-day, There may shine forth to-morrow Once more a cheering ray.

4 Doubts, griefs, and foes assailing, Conceal heaven's fair abode; Yet now faith's power prevailing Should stay thy mind on God! Charlotte Elliott, 1836.



525 Matt. vi. 13. "Thine is the power." Tune TERTIUS. 1111, 1111, 1111, 5. 1 OUR Father, our Father! who dwellest in light, We lean on Thy love, and we rest on Thy

In weakness and weariness joy shall abound, For strength everlasting in Thee shall be found; Our Refuge, our Helper, in conflict and woe, Our mighty Defender, how blessed to know That Thine is the power!

2 Our Father! Thy promise we earnestly claim, The sanctified heart that shall hallow Thy name. In ourselves, in our dear ones, throughout the wide world,

Be Thy name as a banner of glory unfurled: Let it triumph o'er evil and darkness and guilt; We know Thou canst do it, we know that Thou wilt, For Thine is the power!

3 Our Father, we long for the glorious day
When all shall adore Thee and all shall obey!
Oh hasten Thy kingdom, oh show forth Thy might,
And wave o'er the nations Thy sceptre of right:
Oh make up Thy jewels, the crown of Thy love,
And reign in all hearts as Thou reignest above,
For Thine is the power!

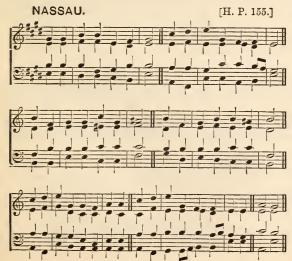


That Thine, Thine, Thine is the Power, the Power, the Power!

- 4 Our Father, we pray that Thy will may be done; For full acquiescence is heaven begun. Both in us and by us Thy purpose be wrought, In word and in action, in spirit and thought. And Thou canst enable us thus to fulfi, With holy rejoicing, Thy glorious will,

 For Thine is the power!
- 5 Our Father, Thy children rejoice in Thy reign, Rejoice in Thy highness, and praise Thee again! Yea, Thine is the kingdom, and Thine is the might, And Thine is the glory, transcendently bright. For ever and ever that glory shall shine, For ever and ever that kingdom be Thine,

For Thine is the power!
Frances Ridley Havergal, 1872.



526 Exod. xiv. 15. "Speak unto the children of Israel, that they go forward."

Tune Nassau. 77,77,88. FORWARD let the people go;" Israel's God will have it so;

Though the path be through the sea, Israel, what is that to thee? He who bids thee pass the waters Will be with His sons and daughters.

2 Deep and wide the sea appears, Israel wonders, Israel fears; Yet the word is "forward" still, Israel, 'tis thy Master's will; Though no way thou canst discover, Not one plank to float thee over.

3 Israel, art thou sorely tried, Art thou pressed on every side? Does it seem as if no power Could relieve thee in this hour? Wherefore art thou thus disheartened? Is the arm that saves thee shortened?

4 Forward go, and thou shalt see
Wonders wrought, and wrought for thee;
Safe thyself on yonder shore,
Thou shalt see thy foes no more;
Thine to see the Saviour's glory,
Thine to tell the wondrous story!

Thomas Kelly, 1815.



527 Ps. cxliii. 9. "I flee unto Thee to hide me."

1 DEAR Refuge of my weary soul, On Thee when sorrows rise— On Thee, when waves of trouble roll-My fainting hope relies.

2 To Thee I tell each rising grief, For Thou alone canst heal; Thy word can bring a sweet relief For every pain I feel.

3 But oh! when gloomy doubts prevail, I fear to call Thee mine: The springs of comfort seem to fail, And all my hopes decline.

4 Yet, gracious God, where shall I flee? Thou art mine only trust;

See Hymns 436,640.

Tune CARMEL. C. M.

And still my soul would cleave to Thee, Though prostrate in the dust.

5 Hast Thou not bid me seek Thy face? And shall I seek in vain? And can the ear of sovereign grace Be deaf when I complain?

6 No! still the ear of sovereign grace Attends the mourner's prayer: Oh, may I ever find access To breathe my sorrows there.

7 Thy mercy-seat is open still; There let my soul retreat; With humble hope attend Thy will, And wait beneath Thy feet!

Anne Steele, 1760.

(8) DECLINE AND RECOVERY.

528 Ps. cxix. 25. "Quicken Thou me according to Thy word." 1 L ONG have we heard the joyful sound Of Thy salvation, Lord; But still how weak our faith is found, And knowledge of Thy word!

2 Oft we frequent Thy holy place, And hear almost in vain: How small a portion of Thy grace Do our false hearts retain!

3 How cold and feeble is our love! How negligent our fear!

Tune CARMEL. How low our hope of joys above! How few affections there!

4 Great God! Thy sovereign power impart,

To give Thy word success:
Write Thy salvation on our heart,
And make us learn Thy grace.

5 Show our forgetful feet the way That leads to joys on high;
Where knowledge grows without decay,
And love shall never die!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.

[H. P. 53.]

529 Hos. xiv. 7. "They that dwell under His shadow shall return." Tune St. Chrysostom. C. M. Or Kent.

¹ O^H for a closer walk with God, A calm and heavenly frame;

A light to shine upon the road That leads me to the Lamb!

2 Where is the blessedness I knew When first I saw the Lord? Where is the soul-refreshing view Of Jesus and His word?

3 What peaceful hours I then enjoyed! How sweet their memory still! But now I find an aching void The world can never fill.

4 Return, O holy Dovc! return, Sweet Messenger of rest! I hate the sins that made Thee mourn, And drove Thee from my breast.

5 The dearest idol I have known, Whate'er that idol be, Help me to tear it from Thy throne, And worship only Thee.



6 So shall my walk be close with God. Calm and serene my frame; So purer light shall mark the road William Cowper, 1779. That leads me to the Lamb!

(9) DESIRES AFTER HOLINESS.

530 Heb. viii. 10. "I will put My laws into their mind."

1 T WANT a principle within 1 Of jealous, godly fcar; A sensibility of sin, A pain to feel it near.

Tune CARMEL. C. M. 2 I want the first approach to feel Of pride, or fond desire;
To catch the wandering of my will,
And quench the kindling fire.

- 3 That I from Thee no more may part, No more Thy goodness grieve, The filial awe, the fleshy heart, The tender conscience, give.
- 4 Quick as the apple of an eye, O God, my conscience make! Awake my soul when sin is nigh, And keep it still awake.

- 5 If to the right or left I stray, That moment, Lord, reprove; And let me weep my life away For having grieved Thy love.
- 6 Oh, may the least omission pain
 My ever watchful soul,
 And drive me to the blood again
 Which makes the wounded whole!

 Charles Wesley, 1749. (a.)

Ps. xlv. 13. "The King's daughter is all glorious within."

Tune GERSHOM. 88, 118.

- I WANT that adorning Divine
 Thou only, my God, canst bestow;
 I want in those beautiful garments to shine,
 Which distinguish Thy household below.
- 2 I want every moment to feel
 That Thy Spirit resides in my heart,
 That His power is present to cleanse and to
 heal,
 And newness of life to impart.
- 3 I want, oh! I want to attain
 Some likeness, my Saviour, to Thee;
 That longed-for resemblance once more to
 regain;
 Thy comeliness put upon me.
- 4 I want to be marked for Thine own,
 Thy seal on my forehead to wear;
 To receive that "new name" on the mystic
 white stone,
 Which none but Thyself can declare.
- I want in Thee so to abide,
 As to bring forth some fruit to Thy praise!
 The branch which Thou prunest, though feeble
 and dried,
 May languish, but never decays.

PART II.

6 I want Thine own hand to unbind
Each tie to terrestrial things,—
Too tenderly cherished, too closely entwined,
Where my heart too tenaciously clings.





- 7 I want by my aspect serene,
 My actions and words, to declare
 That my treasure is placed in a country unseen,—
 That my heart's best affections are there.
 - I want, as a traveller, to haste
 Straight onward, nor pause on my way,
 Nor forethought, nor anxious contrivance, to
 waste
 On the tent only pitched for a day.
- 9 I want—and this sums up my prayer— To glorify Thee till I die; Then calmly to yield up my soul to Thy care,— And breathe out, in faith, my last sigh!

OLD "TEN COMMANDMENTS' TUNE."

[H. P. 15.]



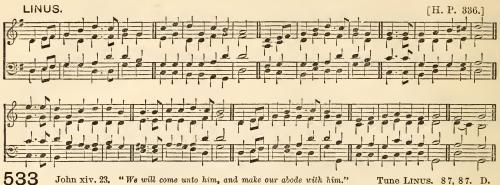
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Phil. i. 27. "Let your conversation be as it becometh the gospel of Christ."

Tune OLD TEN COMMANDMENTS. L. M.

- 1 SO let our lips and lives express
 The holy gospel we profess;
 So let our works and virtues shine,
 To prove the doctrine all Divine.
- 2 Thus shall we best proclaim abroad The honours of our Saviour God, When His salvation reigns within, And grace subdues the power of sin.
- 3 Our flesh and sense must be denied, Passion and envy, lust and pride; While justice, temperance, truth, and love Our inward piety approve.
- 4 The gospel bears our spirits up,
 While we expect that blessed hope,
 The bright appearance of the Lord;
 And faith stands leaning on His word!

 Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709. (a.)



1 LOVE Divine, all love excelling,
Joy of heaven, to earth come down:

Joy of heaven, to earth come down;
Fix in us Thy humble dwelling,
All Thy faithful mercies crown:
Jesus, Thou art all compassion;
Pure, unbounded love Thou art:
Visit us with Thy salvation;
Enter every waiting heart.

2 Come, almighty to deliver, Let us all Thy grace receive; Suddenly return, and never, Never more, Thy temples leave;

See Hymns 216, 217, 425, 687.

Thee we would be always blessing; Serve Thee as Thy hosts above; Pray, and praise Thee, without ceasing, Glory in Thy perfect love.

3 Finish then Thy new creation,
Pure and spotless let us be;
Let us see our great salvation
Perfectly secured in Thee;
Changed from glory into glory,
Till in heaven we take our place,

Till we cast our crowns before Thee, Lost in wonder, love, and praise! Charles Wesley, 1746. (a.)



[H. P. 15.]



(10) GROWTH IN GRACE.

534 Isa. xxxviii. 16. "In all these things is the life of my spirit." Tune OLD TEN COMMANDMENTS. L. M.

1 I ASKED the Lord that I might grow In faith, and love, and every grace; Might more of His salvation know, And seek more earnestly His face.

2 I hoped that in some favoured hour At once He'd answer my request; And, by His love's constraining power, Subdue my sins, and give me rest.

3 Instead of this, He made me feel The hidden evils of my heart, And let the angry powers of hell Assault my soul in every part.

4 "Lord, why is this?" I trembling cried,
"Wilt Thou pursue Thy worm to death?"
"Tis in this way," the Lord replied,
"I answer prayer for grace and faith.

5 "These inward trials I employ, From self and pride to set thee free, And break thy schemes of earthly joy, That thou may'st seek thy all in Me!"

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Isa. lx. 1. "Arise, shine."

1 CHILDREN of light, arise and shine!
Your birth, your hopes, are all Divine;
Your home is in the skies;
Oh! then, for heavenly glory born,
Look down on all with holy scorn
That earthly spirits prize.

2 With Christ, with glory full in view, Oh! what is all the world to you? What is it all but loss? Tune Magdalene College. 886. D.

Come on, then; cleave no more to earth, Nor wrong your high celestial birth, Ye pilgrims of the cross.

3 The cross is ours; we bear it now; But did not He beneath it bow, And suffer there at last? All that we feel can Jesus tell; His gracious soul remembers well The sorrows of the past.



4 O blessèd Lord, we yet shall reign, Redeemed from sorrow, sin, and pain, And walk with Thee in white.

We suffer now, but oh! at last We 'il bless Thee, Lord, for all the past,
And own our cross was light!
Sir Edward Denny, 1938.

Phil. iii. 13. "Reaching forth unto those things which are before."

Tune St. SILAS. 5 5 10. D.

TPWARD and onward, Heavenward and sunward,

Rises the lark, as he joyously sings; With music thrilling, All the air filling.

Bearing a message of praise on his wings.

Like this sweet singer, Let us not linger,

Clinging and cleaving to earth's

weary sod;
But upward springing,
Our tribute bringing,

Strive to draw nearer and nearer to God.

Upward and onward, Heavenward and sunward, Soars the strong eagle, his flight speeding on;
With heart that qualls not,
With eye that fails not,
Steadily fixing his gaze on the sun.

See Hymns 1063-1075.

ST. SILAS. [H. P. 98.]

> So our hearts raising, Singing and praising,
> Looking to Jesus, the Sun of the soul;
> Our strength renewing, Our way pursuing,

Let us press on till we reach the bright goal! Richard Massie, 1864.

VIENNA. [H. P. 149.1

Esther vii. 2. "What is thy petition? . . . and it shall be granted thee." 1 COME, my soul, thy suit prepare, 3 With my burden I begin,

Jesus loves to answer prayer; He Himself has bid thee pray, Therefore will not say thee nay.

2 Thou art coming to a King Large petitions with thee bring; For His grace and power are such, None can ever ask too much.

Lord, remove this load of sin: Let Thy blood, for sinners spilt, Set my conscience free from guilt.

(11) PRAYER.

4 Lord, I come to Thee for rest, Take possession of my breast; There Thy blood-bought right maintain, And without a rival reign.

Tune VIENNA.

5 While I am a pilgrim here, Let Thy love my spirit cheer: As my Guide, my Guard, my Friend,

Lead me to my journey's end! John Newton, 1779.



538 Phil. iii. 10. "That I may know Him."
Tune EATON. 88, 88, 88,

O JESUS, make Thyself to me A living, bright reality;
More present to faith's vision keen
Than any outward object seen:
More dear, more intimately nigh,
Than e'en the sweetest earthly tie!
Charlotte Elliott, 1860.

539 Heb. x. 22. "Let us draw near."
Tune Franconia. S. M.

1 BEHOLD the throne of grace!
The promise calls me near;
There Jesus shows a smiling face,
And waits to answer prayer.

2 That rich atoning blood,
Which sprinkled round I see,
Provides for those who come to God
An all-prevailing plea.

3 My soul, ask what thou wilt, Thou canst not be too bold: Since His own blood for thee He spilt, What else can He withhold?

FRANCONIA.

[H. P. 87.]

4 Beyond thy utmost wants His love and power can bless; To praying souls He always grants More than they can express. 5 Thine image, Lord, bestow,
Thy presence and Thy love;
I ask to serve Thee here below,
And reign with Thee above.

6 Teach me to live by faith,
Conform my will to Thine;
Let me victorious be in death,
And then in glory shine!

John Newton, 1779.



Acts iii. 1. "The hour of prayer."

Tune, Hymn Chant THYATIRA. 88, 84.

- 1 MY God! is any hour so sweet, From blush of morn to evening star, As that which calls me to Thy feet— The hour of prayer?
- 2 Blest be that tranquil hour of morn, And blest that hour of solemn eve, When, on the wings of prayer upborne, The world I leave.
- 3 For then a dayspring shines on me, Brighter than morn's ethereal glow; And richer dews descend from Thee Than earth can know.

- 4 Then is my strength by Thee renewed; Then are my sins by Thee forgiven; Then dost Thou cheer my solitude With hopes of heaven.
- 5 Words cannot tell what blest relief Here for my every want I find; What strength for warfare, balm for grief; What peace of mind.
- 6 Hushed is each doubt, gone every fear;
 My spirit seems in heaven to stay;
 And e'en the penitential tear
 Is wiped away.
- 7 Oh! till I reach yon peaceful shore, No privilege so dear shall be, As thus my inmost soul to pour In prayer to Thee!

Charlotte Elliott, 1839.



541 Luke xi. 1. "Lord, teach us to pray."

1 LORD, teach us how to pray aright,
With reverence and with fear;
Though dust and ashes in Thy sight,
We may, we must draw near.

Tune EVAN I. C. M.

2 We perish if we cease from prayer; Oh, grant us power to pray; And when to meet Thee we prepare, Lord, meet us by the way!

James Montgomery, 1819.



542 Matt. vii. 7. "Ask, and it shall be given you."

1 PRAYER was appointed to convey
The blessings God designs to give:
Long as they live should Christians pray,
For only while they pray they live.

2 And shall we in dead silence lie, When Christ stands waiting for our prayer? My soul, thou hast a Friend on high; Arise, and try thy interest there. Tune HERMON. L. M.

3 If pain afflict, or wrongs oppress; If cares distract, or fears dismay; If guilt deject, if sin distress; The remedy's before thee: Pray!

4 Depend on Christ, thou canst not fail;
Make all thy wants and wishes known
Fear not; His merits must prevail;
Ask what thou wilt; it shall be done!

Joseph Hart, 1765.

543 Ps. lxii. 8. "Pour out your heart before Him."

1 PRAYER is the soul's sincere desire, Uttered, or unexpressed; The motion of a hidden fire That trembles in the breast.

2 Prayer is the burden of a sigh, The falling of a tear, The upward glancing of an eye When none but God is near.

3 Prayer is the simplest form of speech That infant lips can try; Prayer the sublimest strains that reach The Majesty on high.

4 Prayer is the Christian's vital breath, The Christian's native air; His watchword at the gates of death; He enters heaven with prayer. Tune Evan I. C. M. Part II.

5 Prayer is the contrite sinner's voice, Returning from his ways; While angels in their songs rejoice, And cry, "Behold, he prays!"

6 The saints in prayer appear as one In word, and deed, and mind; While with the Father and the Son Sweet fellowship they find.

7 Nor prayer is made on earth alone; The Holy Spirit pleads; And Jesus, on the eternal throne, For sinners intercedes.

8 O Thou by whom we come to God, The Life, the Truth, the Way! The path of prayer Thyself hast trod! Lord, teach us how to pray!

James Montgomery, 1819.

544 1 Kings iii. 5. "Ask what I shall give thee."

1 AND dost Thou say, "Ask what thou wilt"?
A Lord, I would seize the golden hour;
I pray to be released from guilt,
And freed from sin and Satan's power.

2 More of Thy presence, Lord, impart, More of Thine image let me bear; Erect Thy throne within my heart, And reign without a rival there. Tune HERMON. L. M.

3 Give me to read my pardon sealed, And from Thy joy to draw my strength, To have Thy boundless love revealed In all its height, and breadth, and length.

4 Grant these requests, I ask no more, But to Thy care the rest resign; Living or dying, rich or poor, All shall be well if Thou art mine.

John Newton, 1779.



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Heb. iv. 16. "The throne of grace."

- 1 THERE is a spot of consecrated ground,
 Where brightest hopes and holiest joys are
 found; [sound)
 'Tis named (and Christians love the well-known
 The throne of grace.
- 2 'Tis here a calm retreat is always found; Perpetual sunshine gilds the sacred ground; Pure airs and heavenly odours breathe around The throne of grace.
- 3 While on this vantage-ground the Christian stands, His quickened eye a boundless view commands; Discovers fair abodes not made with hands— Abodes of peace.
- 4 Terrestrial objects, disenchanted there, Lose all their power to dazzle or ensnare; One only object then seems worth our care, To win the race!

PART II.

5 This is the mount where Christ's disciples see The glory of the incarnate Deity; 'Tis here they find it good indeed to be, And view His face. Tune, Hymn Chant SARDIS. 10 10 10, 4.

- 6 A new creation here begins to rise:
 Fruits of the Spirit, flowers of paradise,
 Watered from heaven, in full and sure supplies,
 By streams of grace.
- 7 Towards this blest spot the Saviour bends His ear,
 The fervent prayer, the contrite sigh to hear;
 To bid the mourner banish every fear,
 And go in peace.
- 8 Here may the comfortless and weary find One who can cure the sickness of the mind, One who delights the broken heart to bind— The Prince of Peace.
- 9 Saviour! the sinner's Friend, our hope, our all! Here teach us humbly at Thy feet to fall; Here on Thy name, with love and faith, to call For pardoning grace.
- 10 Ne'er let the glory from this spot remove, Till numbered with Thy ransomed flock above, We cease to want, but never cease to love, The throne of grace!

Charlotte Elliott, 1839.

GETHSEMANE.

[H. P. 28.]



- 546 Heb. iv. 16. "Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace." Tune GETHSEMANE. L. M.
 - 1 WHAT various hindrances we meet In coming to a mercy-seat! Yet who that knows the worth of prayer, But wishes to be often there?
 - 2 Prayer makes the darkened cloud withdraw, Prayer climbs the ladder Jacob saw, Gives exercise to faith and love, Brings every blessing from above.
 - 3 Restraining prayer, we cease to fight; Prayer makes the Christian's armour bright; And Satan trembles when he sees The weakest saint upon his knees.
- 4 While Moses stood with arms spread wide, Success was found on Israel's side; But when through weariness they failed, That moment Amalek prevailed.
- 5 Have you no words? Ah; think again; Words flow apace when you complain, And fill your fellow-creature's ear With the sad tale of all your care.
- 6 Were half the breath thus vainly spent
 To heaven in supplication sent,
 Your cheerful song would oftener be,
 "Hear what the Lord has done for me!"
 William Cowper, 1779.

CLAUDIA. [H. P. 104.]

547 Ps. lxi. 1. "Hear my cry." Tune CLAUDIA. 65, 65.

- 1 JESU, meek and gentle, Son of God most high, Pitying, loving Saviour, Hear Thy children's cry.
- 2 Pardon our offences, Loose our captive chains, Break down every idol Which our soul detains.

C. M.

- 3 Give us holy freedom, Fill our hearts with love; Draw us, Holy Jesus, To the realms above.
- 4 Lead us on our journey, Be Thyself the way Through terrestrial darkness To celestial day.
- 5 Jesu, meek and gentle, Son of God most high, Pitying, loving Saviour, Hear Thy children's cry! George Rundle Prynne, 1856.

Tune CARMEL.



548 Ps. li. 17. "A broken and a contrite heart, O God, Thou wilt not despise." 1 TORD, when we bend before Thy throne,

3 When we disclose our wants in prayer,

And our confessions pour, Teach us to feel the sins we own, And hate what we deplore.

May we our wills resign; And not a thought our bosom share Which is not wholly Thine.

2 Our broken spirits pitying see, True penitence impart; And let a brightening ray from Thee See Hymns 829-836.

4 Let faith each meek petition fill, And waft it to the skies; And teach our hearts 'tis goodness still, That grants it or denies? Joseph Dacre Carlyle, 1805.

(12) WATCHFULNESS.

549 Matt. xxvi. 41. "Watch and pray." Tune SAMOS. 77, 73.

1 66 CHRISTIAN! seek not yet repose;" "Thou art in the midst of foes—
"Watch and pray!"

2 Principalities and powers, Mustering their unseen array, Wait for thy unguarded hours— "Watch and pray!"

3 Gird thy heavenly armour on, Wear it ever, night and day; Ambushed lies the evil one—"Watch and pray!"

4 Hear the victors who o'ercame, Still they mark each warrior's way; All, with one sweet voice, exclaim—
"Watch and pray!"

5 Hear, above all, hear thy Lord, Him thou lovest to obey; Hide within thy heart His word— "Watch and pray!"

SAMOS. [H. P. 135.]

> 6 Watch as if on that alone Hung the issue of the day; Pray, that help may be sent down—
> "Watch and pray!" Charlotte Elliott, 1939.



"Blessed are those servants, whom the Lord, when He cometh, shall find watching." Luke xii. 37. Tune Moravia. S. M.

1 YE servants of the Lord, Each in his office wait, Observant of His heavenly word, And watchful at His gate.

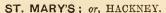
2 Let all your lamps be bright, And trim the golden flame: Gird up your loins as in His sight, For holy is His name.

And while we speak He's near: Mark the first signal of His hand, And ready all appear.

4 O happy servant he In such a posture found! He shall his Lord with rapture see, And be with honour crowned.

3 Watch, 'tis your Lord's command: 5 Christ shall the banquet spread With His own royal hand; And raise that faithful servant's head Amidst the' angelic band !

Philip Doddridge, D.D., 1755.



[H. P. 73.]



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Prov. viii. 34. "Watching daily."

- 1 How vain are all things here below! How false, and yet how fair! Each pleasure hath its poison too. And every sweet a snare.
- 2 The brightest things below the sky Give but a flattering light;
 We should suspect some danger nigh
 Where we possess delight.
- 3 Our dearest joys, and nearest friends, The partners of our blood,

Tune St. MARY. C. M.

How they divide our wavering minds, And leave but half for God!

- 4 The fondness of a creature's love, How strong it strikes the sense! The warm affections thither move, Nor can we call them thence.
- 5 Dear Saviour! let Thy beauties be My soul's eternal food; And grace command my heart away From all created good!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1707.

SARDIS. (HYMN CHANT.)

[H. P. No. VI.]

(13) FASTING.

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Joel ii. 12. "Turn ye even to Me with all your heart, and with fasting." Tune, Hymn Chant SARDIS. 10 10, 10 10,

- MAN fell from grace by carnal appetite, And forfeited the garden of delight; To fast for us our Second Adam deigns, These forty days, and paradise regains.
- 2 So Moses fasted, and received the law; Elias fasted, and God's glory saw; Moses, Elias, joined with Christ our Head, Upon the mountain were transfigured.
- 3 Oh give us grace our appetites to tame, To love Thy law, and glorify Thy name; That we may, Lord, with all Thy saints and Thee, Upon Thy heavenly hill transfigured be.
- 4 To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost be praise; Blest Three in One, to Thee our hearts we raise; On wings of prayer and fasting may we soar, Through Christ to dwell with Thee for evermore! Bishop Christopher Word worth, 1862.



(14) SELF DISCIPLINE.

553 1 Kings xvii. 2. "The word of the Lord came unto him." Tune, Hymn Chant SMYRNA.

1 NOT gifts of prophecy can save, Nor courage be our stay; Lord, make us doers of Thy word, Oh teach us to obey.

2 If God command thee to abstain From royal Bethel's fare, Taste not its food, though angel hands Should spread a table there.

3 The' obedient seer from Jordan's stream To trickling Cherith fled:

Him there the brook, in time of drought, And hungry ravens fed.

4 Go to Zidonian Zarephath, To Jezebel's domain;
Though Zidon's queen may seek thy life,
A widow shall sustain.

5 O widow, fear not, but God's seer With thy last morsel feed; Who in His prophets gives to God Shall never suffer need.

- 6 Thy meal exhaustless is; to thee Rivers of oil shall flow; Obedience is thine olive yard, Faith harvests can bestow.
- 7 By faith and by obedience God's best rewards are won; Thou dost a prophet feed, and he Restores to thee a son.

- 8 Thy pious scrvice is approved And blessed by love Divine; O Zarephath, thy widow's name Shall in Christ's gospel shine.
- 9 To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, For faith and love we pray; Thee ever may our voices praise, And may our hearts obey! Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1862.



- 554 Luke ix. 23. "Let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily."

 1 TAKE up thy cross, the Saviour said,
 If thou wouldst My disciple be;
 Deny thyself, the world forsake,
 And humbly, meekly, follow Me.

 4 Take up the
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 And humbly, meekly, follow Me.
 - 2 Take up thy cross; let not its weight
 Fill thy weak spirit with alarm:
 His strength shall bear thy spirit up.
 And brace thy heart, and nerve thine arm.
 - 3 Take up thy cross, nor heed the shame; And let not carnal pride rebel: Thy Lord for thee the cross endured, To save thy soul from death and hell,

- tis cross daily." Tune LEIPSIC. L. M.

 4 Take up thy cross in Jesu's strength,
- And calmly every danger brave;
 "Twill guide thee to a better home,
 And lead to victory o'er the grave.

 5 Take up the grass and follow Christ
- 5 Take up thy cross and follow Christ, Nor think till death to lay it down; For only he, who bears the cross On earth, will wear the heavenly crown.
- 6 To Thee, great Lord, the One in Three, All praise for evermore ascend; Oh grant us by Thy grace to see The life above that knows no end. Charles William Everest, 1833. (a.)
- Phil. i. 27. "Let your conversation be as it becometh the gospel of Christ." Tune Leipsic. L. M.

AND is the gospel peace and love?
Such let our conversation be;
The serpent blended with the dove,
Wisdom and meek simplicity.

2 Whene'er the angry passions rise, And tempt our thoughts or tongues to strife, To Jesus let us lift our eyes. Bright Pattern of the Christian life.

- 3 Oh, how benevolent and kind! How mild! how ready to forgive! Be this the temper of our mind, And these the rules by which we live.
- 4 But ah! how blind, how weak we are!

 How frail! how apt to turn aside!

 Lord, we depend upon Thy care,

 And ask Thy Spirit for our Guide!

 Anno Steele, 1760.



- 556 Luke xxii. 61. "The Lord turned, and looked upon Peter."
 - JESUS, cast a look on me; Give me sweet simplicity, Make me poor and keep me low, Seeking only Thee to know.
 - 2 Weaned from my lordly self, Weaned from the miser's pelf, Weaned from the scorner's ways, Weaned from the lust of praise.
 - 3 All that feeds my busy pride, Cast it evermore aside; Bid my will to Thine submit; Lay me humbly at Thy feet,

- "Tune Harts. 77,77. Or Oldenburg.

 4 Make me like a little child
- 4 Make me like a little child, Of my strength and wisdom spoiled, Seeing only in Thy light, Walking only in Thy might.
- 5 Leaning on Thy loving breast, Where a weary soul may rest; Feeling well the peace of God Flowing from Thy precious blood!
- 6 In this posture let me live, And hosannas daily give; In this temper let me die, And hosannas ever cry!

C. Wesley, 1762; John Berridge, 1785. (a.)

See Hymn 532.



Ps. cvii. 7. "He led them forth by the right way."

WHATE'ER my God ordains is right,
Holy His will abideth;
will be still whate'er He doth,
And follow where He guideth.

He is my God, Though dark my road; He holds me that I shall not fall, Wherefore to Him I leave it all.

2 Whate'er my God ordains is right, Whate'er my God ordains is right,
He never will deceive me:
He leads me by the proper path,
I know He will not leave me,
And take content
What He hath sent:
His hand can turn my grief away,
And patiently I wait His day.

Tune BADEN I. 87, 87, 44, 88.

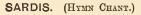
3 Whate'er my God ordains is right, Though now this cup in drinking May bitter seem to my faint heart, I take it all unshrinking;

Tears pass away
With dawn of day:
Sweet comfort yet shall fill my heart,
And pain and sorrow shall depart.

4 Whate'er my God ordains is right, Here shall my stand be taken: Though sorrow, need, or death be mine, Yet am I not forsaken: My Father's care
Is round me there:
He holds me that I shall not fall,

And so to Him I leave it all

S. Rodigast, 1675; C. Winkworth (tr.), 1858.



[H. P. No. VI.]



558 Matt. xxvi. 42. "Thy will be done."

MY God, my Father, while I stray, Far from my home, on life's rough way, Oh teach me from my heart to say, "Thy will be done!"

- 2 Though dark my path, and sad my lot, Let me be still and murmur not; Or breathe the prayer divinely taught, "Thy will be done!"
- 3 If Thou shouldst call me to resign What most I prize—it ne'er was mine: I only yield Thee what was Thine: "Thy will be done!"

Tune, Hymn Chant SARDIS.

- ! Let but my fainting heart be blest With Thy sweet Spirit for its guest, My God, to Thee I leave the rest: "Thy will be done!"
- 5 Renew my will from day to day, Blend it with Thine, and take away All that now makes it hard to say, "Thy will be done!"
- 6 Then, when on earth I breathe no more The prayer, oft mixed with tears before, I'll sing upon a happier shore, "Thy will be done!"

Charlotte Elliott, 1836.

559 Matt. xxvi. 39. " Not as I will, but as Thou wilt."

1 O LORD, my best desire fulfil, And help me to resign Life, health, and comfort to Thy will, And make Thy pleasure mine. Tune BESOR. C. M.

2 Why should I shrink at Thy command. Whose love forbids my fears? Or tremble at the gracious hand That wipes away my tears?



3 No! let me rather freely yield What most I prize to Thee; Who never hast a good withheld, Or wilt withhold, from me.

4 Thy favour, all my journey through, Thou art engaged to grant; What else I want, or think I do, "Tis better still to want. 5 Wisdom and mercy guide my way, Shall I resist them both? A poor blind creature of a day, And crushed before the moth!

6 But ah! my inward spirit cries, Still bind me to Thy sway, Else the next cloud that veils my skies Drives all these thoughts away.

William Cowper, 1779.

560 Lam. iii. 24. "The Lord is my portion, saith my soul."

Tune Besor. C. M. Or FARRANT.

1 MY times of sorrow and of joy, Great God, are in Thy hand: My choicest comforts come from Thee, And go at Thy command.

2 If Thou shouldst take them all away, Yet would I not repine; Before they were possessed by me, They were entirely Thine. 3 Nor would I drop a murmuring word, Though the whole world was gone, But seek enduring happiness In Thee, and Thee alone.

4 What is the world with all its store?

'Tis but a bitter sweet;
When I attempt to pluck the rose,
A pricking thorn I meet.

5 Here perfect bliss can ne'er be found,
The honey's mixed with gall;
'Midst changing scenes and dying friends,
Be Thou my All in all!

Benjamin Beddome, 1787. (a.)



561 Luke xxii. 42. "Not My will, but Thine, be done."

ONE prayer I have—all prayers in one, When I am wholly Thine;
Thy will, my God, Thy will be done,
And let that will be mine.
All-wise, all-mighty, and all-good!
In Thee I firmly trust;
Thy ways, unknown or understood,
Are merciful and just.

2 Is life with many comforts crowned, Upheld in peace and health, With dear affections twined around? Lord, in my time of wealth May I remember that to Thee Whate'er I have I owe; And back, in gratitude to Thee, May all Thy bounties flow.

Tune OLD NUNC DIMITTIS. C. M. D.

3 Thy gifts are only then enjoyed,
When used as talents lent;
Those talents only well employed,
When in Thy service spent.
And though Thy wisdom takes away,
Shall I arraign Thy wil?
No, let me bless Thy name, and say,
The Lord is gracious still.

4 A pilgrim through the earth I roam, Of nothing long possest; And all must fail when I go home, For this is not my rest.

Is but my name upon the roll Of Thy redeemed above?

Then heart, and mind, and strength, and soul Shall love Thee for Thy love!

James Montgomery, 1825.

FRANCONIA.

[H. P. 87.]



562 Ps. xxxi. 15. "My times are in Thy hand."

- 1 "MY times are in Thy hand,"
 Their best and fittest place; I would not have them at command Without Thy guiding grace.
- 2 "My times," and yet not mine; I cannot them ordain; Not one e'er waits from me a sign, Nor can I one detain.
- 3 "My times," O Lord, are Thine, And Thine their oversight: Thy wisdom, love, and power combine To make them dark or bright.

Tune Franconia. S. M.

- 4 I know not what shall be, When passing times are fled; But all events I leave with Thee, And calmly bow my head.
- 5 Hence, Lord, in Thee I rest, And wait Thy holy will; I lean upon my Saviour's breast, Or gladly go on still.
- 6 And when my "times" shall cease, And life shall fade away, Then bid me, Lord, depart in peace, To realms of endless day!

William Henry Havergal, 1860.

LAODICEA. (HYMN CHANT.)

[H. P. No. VIII.]



86, 86, 88,

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"Understanding what the will of the Lord is." Eph. v. 17. Tune, Hymn Chant LAODICEA.

- 1 WITH quivering heart and trembling will The word hath passed thy lips, Within the shadow, cold and still,
 Of some fair joy's colipse,
 "Thy will be done!" Thy God hath heard,
 And He will crown that faith-framed word.
- 2 The prayer shall be fulfilled—but how? His thoughts are not as thine; His thoughts are not as time, While thou wouldst only weep and bow, He saith, "Arise and shine!" Thy thoughts were all of grief and night, But His of boundless joy and light.
- 3 Thy Father reigns supreme above; The glory of His name Is grace and wisdom, truth and love— His will must be the same, And thou hast asked all joys in one, In whispering forth, "Thy will be done."
- 4 His will—each soul to sanctify Redeeming might hath won; His will-that thou shouldst never die, Believing on His Son; His will—that thou, through earthly strife, Shouldst rise to everlasting life.

5 That one unchanging song of praise Should from our hearts arise; That we should know His wondrous ways, Though hidden from the wise; That we, so sinful and so base, Should show the glory of His grace.

Or LEBANON.

- 6 His will—to grant the yearning prayer This will—to grant the yearning prayer For dear ones far away,
 That they His peace and love may share,
 And tread His pleasant way;
 That in the Father and the Son
 All perfect we may be in one.
- 7 His will—the little flock to bring Into His royal fold. To reign for ever with their King, His beauty to behold; Sin's fell dominion crushed for aye, Sorrow and sighing fled away.
- 8 This thou hast asked! And shall the prayer Float upward on a sigh? No song were sweet enough to bear Such glad desires on high. But God thy Father shall fulfil, In thee and for thee, all His will!

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1866.

See Hymn 109.



(16) PATIENCE.

Ps. lxii. 5. "Wait thou only upon God."

> Tune St. Chrysostom. C. M.

1 FATHER, whate'er of earthly bliss Thy sovereign will denies, Accepted at Thy throne of grace Let this petition rise:

2 "Give me a calm, a thankful heart, From every murmur free; The blessings of Thy grace impart, And make me live to Thee.

3 "Let the sweet hope that Thou art mine My life and death attend: Thy presence through my journey shine, And crown my journey's end!"

Anne Steele, 1760.



Ps. xxxvii. 7. "Wait patiently for Him." 565 Tune Expectation. S. M. D. Or Swabia.

1 GOD doth not bid thee wait. To disappoint at last; In disappoint at last;
A golden promise, fair and great,
In precept-mould is cast.
Soon shall the morning gild
The dark horizon rim;
Thy heart's desire shall be fulfilled;
"Wait patiently for Him."

2 The weary waiting-times
Are but the mutiled peals,
Low preluding celestial chimes
That hail His chariot-wheels. Trust Him to tune thy voice

To blend with scraphim;
His "Wait" shall issue in "Rejoice!"
"Wait patiently for Him."



3 He doth not bid thee wait. Like driftwood on the wave, For fickle chance or fixed fate To ruin or to save.
Thine eyes shall surely see, No distant hope or dim,
The Lord thy God arise for thee:
"Wait patiently for Him!"

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1869.



Cant. viii. 5. "Leaning upon her Beloved." 566 Tune HARTS. 77, 77. Or PATMOS.

1 LORD! a happy child of Thine,
Patient through the love of Thee,
In the light, the life Divine,
Lives and walks at liberty.

2 Leaning on Thy tender care, Thou hast led my soul aright,

Fervent was my morning prayer, Joyful is my song to-night.

3 O my Saviour, Guardian true, All my life is Thine to keep: At Thy feet my work I do, In Thine arms I fall asleep!

Anna L. Waring, 1850.





Phil. i. 22. "What I shall choose I wot not." 568

1 TORD, it belongs not to my care, Whether I die or live;
To love and serve Thee is my share, And this Thy grace must give.

2 If life be long, I will be glad,
That I may long obey:
If short—yet why should I be sad
To soar to endless day?

3 Christ leads me through no darker rooms Than He went through before; He that into God's kingdom comes Must enter by this door.

Tune EVAN I. C. M.

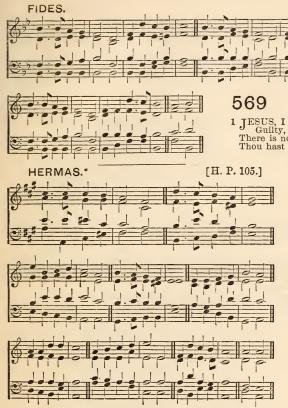
4 Come, Lord, when grace hath made me meet Thy blessed face to see; For if Thy work on earth be sweet, What will Thy glory be?

5 Then I shall end my sad complaints, And weary, sinful days; And join with the triumphant saints

That sing Jehovah's praise.

6 My knowledge of that life is small,
The eye of faith is dim;
But 'tis enough that Christ knows all,
And I shall be with Him. Richard Baxter, 1691. (a.)

[H. P. 343.]



Ps. lv. 23. "I will trust in Thee."
Tune Fides. 65.65. D. Or Hermas.

1 JESUS, I will trust Thee, trust Thee with my soul; Guilty, lost, and helpless, Thou canst make me whole. There is none in heaven or on earth like Thee: Thou hast died for sinners—therefore, Lord, for me.

2 Jesus, I may trust Thee, name of matchless worth Spoken by the angel at Thy wondrous birth; Written, and for ever, on Thy cross of shame, Sinners read and worship, trusting in that name.

3 Jesus, I must trust Thee, pondering Thy ways, Full of love and mercy all Thine earthly days: Sinners gathered round Thee, lepers sought Thy face—

None too vile or loathsome for a Saviour's grace.

4 Jesus, I can trust Thee, trust Thy written word, Though Thy voice of pity I have never heard. When Thy Spirit teacheth, to my taste how sweet—

Only may I hearken, sitting at Thy feet.

5 Jesus, I do trust Thee, trust without a doubt: "Whosoever cometh, Thou wilt not cast out," Faithful is Thy promise, precious is Thy blood—These my soul's salvation, Thou my Saviour God!

Mary Jane Walker, 1864.

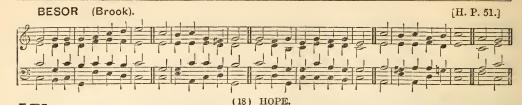
See Hymns 1076-1078.

* To this tune its composer, Frances Ridley Havergal, sang the first verse of this hymn ten minutes only before her death, Tuesday morning, June 3, 1879.

1 Pet. v. 7. "He careth for you." 570 Tune SIHOR. 77, 77, 77. 1 QUIET, Lord, my froward heart, Make me teachable and mild, Upright, simple, free from art, Make me as a weaned child, From distrust and envy free, Pleased with all that pleases Thee. 2 What Thou shalt to-day provide What Thou shalt to-day provine Let me as a child receive; What to-morrow may betide, Calmly to Thy wisdom leave; "Tis enough that Thou wilt care; Why should I the burden bear? 3 As a little child relies On a care beyond his own, Knows he's neither strong nor wise, Fears to stir a step alone, Let me thus with Thee abide, As my Father, Guard, and Guide. 4 Thus preserved from Satan's wiles. Safe from dangers, free from fears, May I live upon Thy smiles Till the promised hour appears. When the sons of God shall prove All their Father's boundless love!



See Hymns 99-103, 892. John Newton, 1779.



571 Ps. lxxi. 5. "Thou art my hope."

MY God, my everlasting hope,
I live upon Thy truth;
Thy hands have held my childhood up,
And strengthened all my youth.

2 Still has my life new mercies seen Repeated every year; Behold my days that yet remain, I trust them to Thy care. Tune Besor. C. M.

3 Cast me not off when strength declines, When hoary hairs arise; And round me let Thy glory shine, Whene'er Thy servant dies.

4 Then in the history of my age,
When men review my days,
They'll read Thy love in every page,
In every line Thy praise.
Isaac Watts, D.D., 1719.

CARPUS.

[H. P. 219.]

572

Rom. xv. 13. "Abound in hope."

1 HOPE, Christian soul; in every stage Of this thine earthly pilgrimage Let heavenly joy thy thoughts engage: Abound in hope.

2 Hope! though thy lot be want and woe, Though hate's rude storms against thee blow, Thy Saviour's lot was such below: Abound in hope.

3 Hope! for to all who meekly bear His cross, He gives His crown to wear; Abasement here is glory there: Abound in hope. Tune CARPUS. 888, 4.

4 Hope! though thy dear ones round thee die, Behold with faith's illumined eye Their blissful home beyond the sky: Abound in hope.

5 Hope! for upon that happy shore Sorrow and sighing will be o'er, And saints shall meet to part no more: Abound in hope.

6 Hope through the watches of the night; Hope till the morrow bring the light; Hope till the faith be lost in sight: Abound in hope.

Benjamin H. Kennedy, D.D., 1867.

THYATIRA. (Hymn Chant.)

[H. P. No. V.]

573

Rom, xiii, 11. "Now is our salvation nearer than when we believed."

Tune, Hymn Chant Thyatira. 66,88.

ONE sweetly solemn thought
Comes to me o'er and o'er—
I am nearer my home to-day
Than I ever have been before.

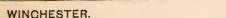
2 Nearer the great white throne, Nearer the crystal sea, Nearer my Father's house, Where the many mansions be.

3 Nearer the bound of life, Where we lay our burdens down; Nearer leaving the cross, Nearer gaining the crown. 4 But lying darkly between,
Winding down through the night,
Is the deep and unknown stream,
To be crossed ere we reach the light.

5 Jesus, perfect my trust, Strengthen the hand of my faith: Let me feel Thee near when I stand On the edge of the shore of death;

6 Feel Thee near when my feet Are slipping over the brink; For it may be I'm nearer home, Nearer now than I think!

Phæbe Carey, 1854.



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(19) FULL ASSURANCE.

574

1 John iv. 8. "God is love."

1 SINCE my Redeemer's name is Love, Why should I doubt His grace? He will not let my soul remove, Or start from His embrace.

2 Guided by Him, with strength Divine I gladly urge my way,
And more and more my path shall shine
Unto the perfect day.

3 I cannot from the fold depart, For Jesus is my guide; His law is graven on my heart, Nor shall my footsteps slide. Tune Winchester. C. M.

4 He loved me not for my desert; (I merited His hate;) Nor shall the love a period know, Which never knew a date.

5 By grace a free partaker made Of His immortal root, I know my branch shall never fade, Nor cease from yielding fruit.

6 Glory and grace to them He gives,
For whom He gave His Son;
And God must cease from being love,
Ere He can hate His own!

Augustus M. Toplady, 1777.

SWABIA.

[H. P. 82.]

575 Jude 24. "Able to keep you from falling and to present you faultless."

Tune SWABIA. S. M.

1 TO God the only wise, Our Saviour and our King, Let all the saints below the skies Their humble praises bring.

2 His tried almighty love, His counsel and His care, Preserve us safe from sin and death, And every hurtful snare.

See Hymns 721, 723-729, 732, 734.

3 He will present our souls
Unblemished and complete,
Before the glory of His face,
With joys divinely great.

4 Then all the chosen seed
Shall meet around the throne,
Shall bless the conduct of His grace,
And make His wonders known.

5 To our Redeemer God
Wisdom and power belong,
Immortal crowns of majesty,
And everlasting song!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.

BEDFORD.

[H. P. 66.]



(20) SUPPORT AND COMFORT.

576 Matt. xiv. 27. "It is I; be not afraid."

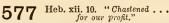
WHEN waves of trouble round me swell,
My soul is not dismayed:
I hear a voice I know full well—
"'Tis I; be not afraid."

2 When black the threatening skies appear, And storms my path invade, Those accents tranquillise each fear, "'Tis I; be not afraid." Tune Bedford. C. M.

3 There is a gulf that must be crossed; Saviour, be near to aid! Whisper, when my frail bark is tossed, "Tis I; be not afraid."

4 There is a dark and fearful vale, Death hides within its shade; Oh say, when flesh and heart shall fail, "'Tis I; be not afraid!"

Charlotte Elliott, 1834.



Tune St. Hilda. 77,77. D. Or SEIR.

1 'TIS my happiness below Not to live without the cross, But the Saviour's power to know, Sanctifying every loss: Trials must and will befall;

But with humble faith to see Love inscribed upon them all-This is happiness to me.

2 God in Israel sows the seeds Of affliction, pain, and toil;
These spring up and choke the weeds
Which would else o'erspread the [soil:

Trials make the promise sweet; Trials give new life to prayer; Trials bring me to His feet, Lay me low and keep me there.

3 Did I meet no trials here, No correction by the way, Might I not, with reason, fear I should prove a castaway? Others may escape the rod, Sunk in earthly vain delight; But the true-born child of God Must not, would not, if he might! William Cowper, 1774.





578 Ps. xxvii. 9. "Thou hast been my help." 1 O GOD, our help in ages past,

Our hope for years to come, Our shelter from the stormy blast, And our eternal home;

2 Beneath the shadow of Thy throne Thy saints have dwelt secure; Sufficient is Thine arm alone, And our defence is sure.

Tune, Hymn Chant SMYRNA. C. M. Or LONDON NEW.

> 3 Before the hills in order stood. Or earth received her frame, From everlasting Thou art God, To endless years the same.

4 O God, our help in ages past, Our hope for years to come; Be Thou our guard while life shall last, And our eternal home!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1719.



579 Mark iv. 39. "Peace, be still."

FIERCE raged the tempest o'er the deep;
Watch did Thine anxious servants keep,
But Thou wast wrapped in guileless sleep,
Calm and still.

2 "Save, Lord, we perish!" was their cry, "Oh save us in our agony!" Thy word above the storm rose high, "Peace, be still!"

Tune, Hymn Chant SARDIS.

3 The wild winds hushed; the angry deep Sank, like a little child, to sleep; The sullen billows cease to leap, At Thy will.

4 So when our life is clouded o'er, So when our me is choused out.

And storm winds drift us from the shore,
Say, lest we sink to rise no more,
"Peace, be still!" Godfrey Thring, 1858.



1 GOD is the refuge of His saints, When storms of sharp distress invade; Ere we can offer our complaints, Behold Him present with His aid!

2 Let mountains from their seats be hurled Down to the deep, and buried there; Convulsions shake the solid world; Our faith shall never yield to fear.

3 Loud let the troubled ocean roar, In sacred peace our souls abide;

While every nation, every shore,
Trembles, and dreads the swelling tide!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1719.



Ps. cvi. 9. "He led them through the depths."

Tune Paran. 11 11, 11 11.

PRESS forward and fear not! the billows may

The power of Jesus their rage will control; Though waves rise in anger, their tumults shall cease.

One word of His bidding shall hush them to peace. 2 Press forward and fear not! though trial be near. The Lord is our refuge; whom then shall we fear? His staff is our comfort, our safeguard His rod; Then let us be steadfast and trust in our God.

3 Press forward and fear not! be strong in the Lord, The power of His promise, the truth of His word; Through sea and through desert our pathway may tend,

But He who hath saved us will save to the end.

4 Then forward and fear not! we'll speed on our way;
Why should we e'er shrink from our path in dismay?

We tread but the road which our Leader hath trod: Then let us press forward, and trust in our God! Edward Wakefield, 1842.

582 Ps. civ. 34. "My meditation of Him shall be sweet."

WHEN languor and disease invade This trembling house of clay, 'Tis sweet to look beyond the cage, And long to fly away.

2 Sweet to look inward and attend The whispers of His love; Sweet to look upward to the place Where Jesus pleads above.

3 Sweet to look back and see my name In life's fair book set down; Sweet to look forward and behold Eternal joys my own.

4 Sweet to reflect how grace Divine My sins on Jesus laid; Sweet to remember that His blood My debt of sufferings paid.

5 Sweet in His righteousness to stand, Which saves from second death; Sweet to experience, day by day, His Spirit's quickening breath. Tune, Hymn Chant SMYRNA. C. M. Or BEDFORD.

6 Sweet on His faithfulness to rest, Whose love can never end; Sweet on His covenant of grace For all things to depend.

7 Sweet in the confidence of faith
To trust His firm decrees;
Sweet to lie passive in His hand,
And know no will but His.

8 Sweet to rejoice in lively hope, That, when my change shall come, Angels will hover round my bed, And waft my spirit home.

9 There shall my disimprisoned soul Behold Him and adore; Be with His likeness satisfied, And grieve and sin no more.

10 If such the sweetness of the stream,
What must the fountain be,
Where saints and angels draw their bliss
Immediately from Thee?

Augustus M. Toplady, 1778.



Yet one thing secures us, Whatever betide, The Scripture assures us, "The Lord will provide."

2 The birds without barn Or storehouse are fed; From them let us learn To trust for our bread; His saints what is fitting Shall ne'er be denied, So long as 'tis written," The Lord will provide."

3 We may, like the ships, By tempest be tossed On perilous deeps, But cannot be lost: Though Satan enrages The wind and the tide, The promise engages, "The Lord will provide."

4 His call we obey, Like Abra'm of old; We know not the way, But faith makes us bold;

For, the Guide, though we are strangers. We have a sure

And trust in all dangers, "The Lord will provide."

No strength of our own, No goodness we claim;
Our trust is all placed In Jesu's great name; In this, our strong tower, For safety we hide: The Lord is our power: "The Lord will provide."

6 When life sinks apace, And death is in view,
The word of His grace Shall comfort us through;
No fearing or doubting, With Christ on our side,
We hope to die shouting, "The Lord will provide." John Newton, 1777.



584

Matt. xv. 25. "Lord, help me."

1 OH help us, Lord! each hour of need Thy heavenly succour give; Help us in thought, and word, and deed, Each hour on earth we live!

2 Oh help us when our spirits bleed
With contrite anguish sore:
And when our hearts are cold and dead, Oh help us, Lord, the more!

C. M. Tune Bedford.

Or DUNDEE.

3 Oh help us through the prayer of faith, More firmly to believe; For still, the more the servant hath The more shall he receive. 4 Oh help us, Jesus, from on high!

We know no help but Thee; Oh help us so to live and die, As Thine in heaven to be! Dean Henry Hart Milman, D.D., 1827.



585 1 Sam. vii. 12. "Hitherto hath the Lord helped us."

1 THUS far my God hath led me on, And made His truth and mercy known: My hopes and fears alternate rise, And comforts mingle with my sighs.

2 Through this wide wilderness I roam, Far distant from my blissful home; Lord, let Thy presence be my stay, And guard me in this dangerous way.

3 Temptations everywhere annoy, And sins and snares my peace destroy: Tune HERMON.

My earthly joys are from me torn, And oft an absent God I mourn.

4 Is this, dear Lord, that thorny road Which leads us to the mount of God? Are these the toils Thy people know, While in the wilderness below?

5 'Tis even so, Thy faithful love Doth thus Thy children's graces prove; 'Tis thus our pride and self must fall, That Jesus may be All in all!

John Fawcett, 1782.

Ps. xxx. 5. "Weeping may endure in the evening, but singing cometh in the morning." [Margin.]

Tune Godesberg. 87, 87

- 1 IN the evening there is weeping, Lengthening shadows, failing sight; Silent darkness, slowly creeping Over all things dear and bright.
- 2 In the evening there is weeping, Lasting all the twilight through; Phantom shadows, never sleeping, Wakening slumbers of the true.
- 3 In the morning cometh singing, Cometh joy and cometh sight, When the sun ariseth, bringing Healing on his wings of light.
- 4 In the morning cometh singing, Songs that ne'er in silence end, Angel minstrels ever bringing Praises new with thine to blend.
- 5 Are the twilight shadows casting Heavy glooms upon thy heart? Soon in radiance everlasting Night for ever shall depart.

See Hymns 360, 433.



- 6 Art thou weeping, sad and lonely.
 Through the evening of thy days?
 All thy sighing shall be only
 Prelude of more perfect praise.
- 7 Darkest hour is nearest dawning, Solemn herald of the day; Singing cometh in the morning, God shall wipe thy tears away!

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1869.



587 1 Pet. v. 5. "Be clothed with humility."

1 LORD, if Thou Thy grace impart, Poor in spirit, meek in heart, I shall, as my Master, be Clothèd with humility.

2 Simple, teachable, and mild, Changed into a little child, Pleased with all the Lord provides, Weaned from all the world besides. Tune GIBBONS. 77, 77.

- 3 Father, fix my soul on Thee; Every evil let me flee; Nothing want, beneath, above, Happy in Thy precious love.
- 4 Oh that all may seek and find Every good in Christ combined! Him let Israel still adore, Trust Him, praise Him evermore!

Charles Wesley, 1741.



Phil. ii. 5. "Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus." Tune FARRANT. C. M.

1 JESUS! exalted far on high,
To whom a name is given,
A name surpassing every name,
That's known in earth or heaven.

2 Jesus! who in the form of God Didst equal honour claim; Yet, to redeem our guilty souls, Didst stoop to death and shame.

See Hymns 217, 555, 556, 570, 745.

3 Oh, may that mind in us be formed Which shone so bright in Thee; A humble, meek, and lowly mind, From pride and envy free.

4 May we to others stoop, and learn To emulate Thy love; So shall we bear Thine image here, And share Thy throne above!

Thomas Cotterill, 1812.



591 Eph. v. 2. "Walk in love." MAY we Thy precepts, Lord, fulfil, To do on earth our Father's will As angels do above;
To walk in Christ, the living Way,
With all Thy children, and obey

The law of Christian love.

Tune BRIDEHEAD. 886. D. Or KEDRON.

2 Spirit of life, of love and peace, Unite our hearts, our joy increase, Thy gracious help supply; To every soul the blessing give, In Christian fellowship to live; In joyful hope to die! Edward Osler, 1833.



John xv. 12. "Love one another, as I have loved you."

Tune Patmos. 77, 77.

1 "LITTLE children, dwell in love New begotten from above; Ye by this your birth may know, That ye dwell in love below.

2 "God your Father reigns on high, Unbeheld by mortal eye; Him ye see not; love Him then In His types, your fellow-men. 3 "Not in semblance nor in word, But in holy thoughts unheard And in very truth and deed, Share their joy, and help their need."

4 Thus the saint whom Jesus loved Spoke in word, in action proved:
Lord, may Thy disciples be
Like to him, and like to Thee!

Dean Henry Alford, D.D., 1844.

SHENIR II. (Mount.)

[H. P. 151.]

593

John xxi. 15. "Lovest thou Me?"

1 'TIS a point I long to know—
Oft it causes anxious thought—
Do I love the Lord, or no?
Am I His, or am I not?

2 Could my heart so hard remain, Prayer a task and burden prove, Every trifle give me pain, If I knew a Saviour's love?

3 When I turn mine eyes within, All is dark, and vain, and wild! Filled with unbelief and sin, Can I deem myself a child?

4 If I pray, or hear, or read, Sin is mixed with all I do: You that love the Lord indeed, Tell me, is it thus with you? Tune SHENIR II. 77,77.

Or LUXEMBURG.

5 Yet I mourn my stubborn will, Find my sin a grief and thrall; Should I grieve for what I feel, If I did not love at all?

6 Could I joy His saints to meet, Choose the ways I once abhorred, Find, at times, the promise sweet, If I did not love the Lord?

7 Lord, decide the doubtful case!

Thou who art Thy people's Sun,
Shine upon Thy work of grace,
If it be indeed begun.

8 Let me love Thee more and more, If I love at all, I pray: If I have not loved before, Help me to begin to-day!

John Newton, 1779.

ST. ANN.

[H. P. 52.]



594

1 John iv. 7. "Love is of God."

HAPPY the heart where graces reign,
Where love inspires the breast;
Love is the brightest of the train,
And strengthens all the rest.

2 Knowledge, alas! 'tis all in vain, And all in vain our fear; Our stubborn sins will fight and reign, If love be absent there. Tune St. ANN. C. M.

3 'Tis love that makes our cheerful feet In swift obedience move; The devils know and tremble too; But Satan cannot love.

4 This is the grace that lives and sings When faith and hope shall cease; 'Tis this shall strike our joyful strings In the sweet realms of bliss.

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1707.

John xiii. 15. "I have given you an 595 example."

Tune PRAGUE. 85, 85,

1 THOU who on that wondrous journey The Sett'st Thy face to die, By Thy holy meek example Teach us Charity!

2 Thou who that dread cup of suffering Didst not put from Thee, O most Loving of the loving,

Give us Charity! 3 Thou who reignest, bright in glory, On God's throne on high, Oh, that we may share Thy triumph,

Grant us Charity!

4 Send us Faith, that trusts Thy promise; Hope, with upward eye; But more blest than both, and greater,

Dean Henry Alford, D.D., 1867.

Send us Charity!





596 Tune NAYLAND. C. M. Or St. Ann.

1 OUR God is love; and all His saints His image bear below: The heart, with love to God inspired, With love to man will glow.

2 Oh may we love each other, Lord, As we are loved of Thee: For none are truly born of God Who live in enmity.

3 Heirs of the same immortal bliss, Our hopes and fears the same,
The cords of love our hearts should bind,
The law of love inflame.

4 So shall the vain contentious world Our peaceful lives approve, And wondering say, as they of old, "See how these Christians love!" Thomas Cotterill, 1819.



597 1 Chron. xxix. 2. "I have prepared with all my might."

Tune, Hymn Chant PERGAMOS. 6 10, 10 10.

GIVE to the Lord thy heart! The rich are they who keep not back a part;
The glad, the full, are those who ne'er withhold. Give to the Lord thy heart! Its morning fragrance and its noontide might, And evening dews—all that thou hast and art, Are but the Lord's by purchase and by right.

Give to the Lord thy heart!

Bring a whole offering, worthless though it be; The love which took thy cross, and bore its smart, Paid the full price, O ransomed one, for thee!

Jane Crewdson, 1860.

598 2 Cor. v. 14. "The love of Christ constraineth us."

1 FOUNTAIN of good! to own Thy love Our thankful hearts incline: What can we render. Lord, to Thee, When all the worlds are Thine?

2 But Thou hast needy brethren here, Partakers of Thy grace, Whose humble names Thou wilt confess Before Thy Father's face.

See Hymns 589, 633, 691, 739.

Tune NAYLAND. C. M.

3 In their sad accents of distress Thy pleading voice is heard, In them Thou may'st be clothed and fed And visited and cheered.

4 Thy face, with reverence and with love, We in Thy poor would see; For while we minister to them, We do it, Lord, to Thee!
Philip Doddridge, D.D., 1755. (a.)

(24) PRAISE.

599 Mark xi. 10. "Hosanna in the highest."
Tune BADEN II. 88, 88, 47.

- 1 HOSANNA to the living Lord!
 Hosanna to the Incarnate Word!
 To Christ, Creator, Saviour, King,
 Let earth, let heaven, Hosanna sing!
 Hosanna, Lord! Hosanna in the highest.
- 2 Hosanna, Lord, Thine angels cry: Hosanna, Lord, Thy saints reply: Above, beneath us, and around, The dead and living swell the sound; Hosanna, Lord! Hosanna in the highest.
- 3 O Saviour, with protecting care, Be with us in Thy house of prayer, Assembled in Thy sacred name, While we Thy parting promise claim: Hosanna, Lord! Hosanna in the highest.
- 4 But chiefest in our cleansed breast, Eternal! bid Thy Spirit rest, And make our secret soul to be A temple pure, and worthy Thee! Hosanna, Lord! Hosanna in the highest.
- 5 So in the last and dreadful day, When earth and heaven shall melt away, Thy flock, redeemed from sinful stain, Shall swell the sound of praise again: Hosanna, Lord! Hosanna in the highest. Bishop Heber, 1811.





600 Rev. v. 12. "Worthy is the Lamb that was slain."

Tune St. Paul. 87, 887, 77, 77

- 1 "WORTHY of all adoration
 Is the Lamb that once was slain,"
 Cry, in raptured exultation,
 His redeemed from every nation;
 Angel myriads join the strain;
 Sounding from their sinless strings
 Glory to the King of kings;
 Harping, with their harps of gold,
 Praise which never can be told.
- 2 Hallelujahs full and swelling
 Rise around His throne of might.
 All our highest laud excelling,
 Holy and Immortal, dwelling
 In the unapproached light,
 He is worthy to receive
 All that heaven and earth can give.
 Blessing, honour, glory, might,
 All are His by glorious right.
- 3 As the sound of many waters
 Let the full Amen arise!
 HALLEUJAH! Ceasing never,
 Sounding through the great For Ever,
 Linking all its harmonies;
 Through eternities of bliss,
 Lord, our rapture shall be this;
 And our endless life shall be
 One AMEN of praise to THEE!

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1867.



- Fig. 1. "O come, let us sing unto the Lord."

 Tune CHESALON. C. M.
 - 1 COME, let us join our cheerful songs With angels round the throne; Ten thousand thousand are their tongues, But all their joys are one.
 - 2 "Worthy the Lamb that died," they cry,"To be exalted thus";"Worthy the Lamb," our lips reply,"For He was slain for us."
- 3 Jesus is worthy to receive
 Honour and power Divine;
 And blessings more than we can give,
 Be, Lord, for ever Thine.
- 4 Let all that dwell above the sky, And air, and earth, and seas, Conspire to lift Thy glories high, And speak Thine endless praise.
- 5 The whole creation join in one, To bless the sacred name Of Him that sits upon the throne, And to adore the Lamb! Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.

THE OLD 100th TUNE.

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602 Ps. cl. 6. "Let every thing that hath breath praise the Lord." Tune OLD HUNDREDTH. L. M.

1 FROM all that dwell below the skies Let the Creator's praise arise;
Let the Redeemer's name be sung
Through every land, by every tongue.

- 2 Eternal are Thy mercies, Lord: Eternal truth attends Thy word: Thy praise shall sound from shore to shore, Till suns shall rise and set no more! Esaac Watts, D.D., 1719.
- 603 Ps. lxix. 16. "The multitude of Thy tender mercies."

Tune CHESALON. C. M. Or LONDON NEW.

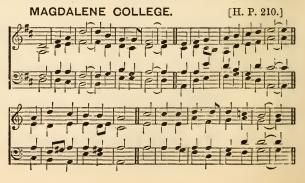
- 1 FOR mercies countless as the sands, Which daily I receive From Jesus my Redeemer's hands, My soul, what canst thou give?
- 2 Alas! from such a heart as mine What can I bring Him forth?
 My best is stained and dyed with sin; My all is nothing worth.

- 3 Yet this acknowledgment I'll make For all He has bestowed; Salvation's sacred cup I'll take, And call upon my God.
- 4 The best return for one like me, So wretched and so poor, Is from His gifts to draw a plea, And ask Him still for more.
- 5 I cannot serve Him as I ought; No works have I to boast; Yet would I glory in the thought, That I should owe Him most! John Newton, 1779.

604 Ps. cxlv. 11. "They shall speak of the glory of Thy kingdom, and talk of Thy power."

Tune Magdalene College. 886. D.

- BEGIN, my soul, the exalted lay; Let each enraptured thought obey! And praise the 'Almighty's name: Lo! heaven, and earth, and sea, and skies, In one melodious concert rise, To swell the inspiring theme.
- 2 Ye angels, catch the thrilling sound:
 While all the adoring thrones around
 His boundless mercy sing:
 Let every listening saint above
 Wake all the tuneful soul of love,
 And touch the sweetest string.
- 3 Join, ye loud spheres, the vocal choir; Thou glorious orb of liquid fire, The mighty chorus aid:



Soon as grey evening gilds the plain, Thou, moon, protract the melting strain, And praise Him in the shade.

4 Whate'er a blooming world contains,
That wings the air or decks the plains,
United praise bestow:
Ye tempests, sound His awful name;
And widely roar your loud acclaim,
Ye swelling deeps below.

5 Let man, by nobler passions swayed, The feeling heart, the judging head, In heavenly praise employ;



Spread His tremendous name around,
Till heaven's broad arch rings back the sound,
The general burst of joy!

John Ogilvie, 1776.

ORIEL. [H. P. 302.]

605 Ps. cl. 1. "Hallelujah! Praise God in His sanctuary."

1 ALLELUIA! Song of gladness,
Voice of everlasting joy;
Alleluia! sound the sweetest
Heard among the choirs on high,
Hymning in God's blissful mansion
Day and night incessantly.

2 Alleluia! Church victorious,
Thou may'st lift the joyful strain.
Alleluia! songs of triumph
Well befit the ransomed train.
Faint and feeble are our praises
While in exile we remain.

Tune Oriel. 87, 87, 87. Or IDUMEA.

3 Alleluia! songs of gladness
Suit not always souls forlorn.
Alleluia! sounds of sadness
'Midst our joyful strains are borne;
For in this dark world of sorrow
We with tears our sins must mourn.

4 Praises with our prayers uniting,
Hear us, blessed Trinity;
Bring us to Thy blissful presence,
There the Paschal Lamb to see,
There to Thee our Alleluia
Singing everlastingly.

J. M. Neale, D.D. (tr.), 1851.



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Tune, "Nun Danket Alle Gott." 67, 67, 6666.

NOW thank we all our God,
With hearts, and hands, and voices;
Who wondrous things hath done,
In whom His world rejoices;
Who from our mother's arms
Hath blessed us on our way
With countless gifts of love,

And still is ours to-day.

Oh may this bounteous God
Through all our life be near us;
With ever joyful hearts
And blessed peace to cheer us;

And help us in His grace, And guide us when perplexed: And free us from all ills In this world and the next.

2 All praise and thanks to God
The Father now be given,
The Son, and Him who reigns
With Them in highest heaven:
The one eternal God
Whom heaven and earth adore;
For thus it was, is now,
And shall be evermore!

Martin Rinckart, 1586-1649; C. Winkworth (tr.), 1858.



Rev. iv. 11. "Thou art worthy, O Lord, to receive glory."

GLORY, glory everlasting
Be to Him who bore the cross!
Who redeemed our souls, by tasting
Death, the death deserved by us;
Spread His glory,
Who redeemed His people thus.

Tune ZAANAIM.

2 His is love, 'tis love unbounded. Without measure, without end; Human thought is here confounded, "Tis too vast to comprehend: Praise the Saviour! Magnify the sinner's Friend,

3 While we hear the wondrous story Of the Saviour's cross and shame, Sing we "Everlasting glory Be to God, and to the Lamb:" Saints and angels,

Give ye glory to His name!

Thomas Kelly, 1809.



608 Eph. i. 6. "To the praise of the glory of His grace."

1 COME, Thou Fount of every blessing, Tune my heart to sing Thy grace, Streams of mercy never ceasing Call for songs of loudest praise.
Teach me some melodious measure, Sung by flaming hosts above:
Fill my soul with sacred pleasure,

While I sing redeeming Love. 2 Here I raise my Ebenezer; Hither by Thine help I'm come: And I hope, by Thy good pleasure, Safely to arrive at home. Tune ESDRAELON. 87. 87. D.

Jesus sought me when a stranger Wandering from the fold of God; He, to rescue me from dauger, Interposed His precious blood.

3 Oh! to grace how great a debtor Daily I'm constrained to be! Let that grace now, like a fetter, Bind my wandering heart to Thee!
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it;
Prone to leave the God I love—
Here's my heart, oh, take and seal it!
Seal it from Thy courts above!

Attributed to Robert Robinson, 1758; also Selina, Countess of Huntingdon, 1749; and C. Wesley.



609 Ps. lxvii. 3. "Let all the people praise

77, 77, 77. Tune HEATHLANDS.

1 GOD of mercy, God of grace, Show the brightness of Thy face; Shine upon us, Saviour, shine, Fill Thy church with light Divine;

And Thy saving health extend Unto earth's remotest end.

- 2 Let the people praise Thee, Lord; Be by all that five adored; Let the nations shout and sing Glory to their Saviour King; At Thy feet their tribute pay, And Thy holy will obey.
- 3 Let the people praise Thee, Lord, Earth shall then her fruits afford, God to man His blessing give, Man to God devoted live; All below, and all above, One in joy and light and love!

Henry Francis Lyte, 1834.





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610 Ps. ciii. 22. "Bless the Lord, all His works, in all places of His dominion."

Tune LUBECK. 77,77.

- 1 PRAISE the Lord. His glories show, Saints within His courts below, Angels round His throne above, All that see and share His love.
- 2 Earth to heaven, and heaven to earth, Tell His wonders, sing His worth: Age to age, and shore to shore, Praise Him, praise Him, evermore.
- 3 Praise the Lord, His mercies trace! Praise His providence and grace, All that He for man hath done, All He sends us through His Son:
- 4 Strings and voices, hands and hearts, In the concert bear your parts; All that breathe, your Lord adore, Praise Him! praise Him, evermore!

Henry Francis Lyte, 1834.

Rom. xvi. 27. "To God only wise, 503 flory through Jesu Christ for ever."

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Tune DARWELL. 6666,88.

WE give immortal praise
To God the Father's love,
For all our comforts here
And better hopes above;
He sent His own eternal Son
To die for sins that man had done.

2 To God the Son belongs Immortal glory too, Who bought us with His blood From everlasting woe; And now He lives, and now He reigns, And sees the fruit of all His pains,

3 To God the Spirit's name
Immortal worship give,
Whose new-creating power
Makes the dead sinner live;
His work completes the great design,
And fills the soul with joy Divine.



Be endless honours done;
The undivided Three,
And the mysterious One!
Where reason fails with all her powers,
There faith prevails, and love adores!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.

612 Ps. ciii. 1. "Bless the Lord, O my soul."

Tune Corfe Mullen. 87, 87, 47. Or ZAANAIM.

1 PRAISE, my soul, the King of heaven; To His feet thy tribute bring! Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven, Who like me His praise should sing? Praise Him! praise Him! Praise the everlasting King!

2 Praise Him for His grace and favour To our fathers in distress! Praise Him still the same for ever,

Slow to chide, and swift to bless! Praise Him! praise Him! Glorious in His faithfulness!

3 Father-like, He tends and spares us, Well our feeble frame He knows; In His hands He gently bears us, Rescues us from all our foes. Praise Him! praise Him!

Widely as His mercy flows! 4 Frail as summer's flower we flourish; 5 Angels, help us to adore Him; Blows the wind, and it is gone: Ye behold Him face to face:

CORFE MULLEN. [H. P. 297.

But while mortals rise and perish, God endures unchanging on. Praise Him! praise Him! Praise the High Eternal One!

Sun and moon, bow down before Him:

Dwellers all in time and space, Praise Him! praise Him! Praise with us the God of grace! Henry Francis Lyte, 1834.

CULBACH. [H. P. 181.]

613 Ps. lxxxix. 1. "I will make known Thy faithfulness."

Tune Culbach. 87, 87.

1 PRAISE the Lord! ye heavens, adore Him; Praise Him, angels, in the height; Sun and moon, rejoice before Him; Praise Him, all ye stars of light.

2 Praise the Lord! for He hath spoken: Worlds His mighty voice obeyed; Laws which never shall be broken For their guidance He hath made.

3 Praise the Lord! for He is glorious: Never shall His promise fail: God hath made His saints victorious, Sin and death shall not prevail.

4 Praise the God of our salvation : Hosts on high, His power proclaim; Heaven and earth, and all creation, Laud and magnify His name!

John Kempthorne, 1810.



Ps. cxlix. 1. 614 Tune GAIUS. 11 10, 11 10.

1 DRAISE ye Jehovah! praise the Lord most holy Who cheers the contrite, girds with strength the weak;

Praise Him who will, with glory, crown the lowly, And, with salvation, beautify the meek.

2 Praise ye the Lord, for all His lovingkindness, And all the tender mercies He hath shown; Praise Him who pardons all our sin and blindness, And calls us sons, and takes us for His own.

3 Praise ye Jehovah! Source of all our blessing; Before His gifts earth's richest boons are dim; Resting in Him, His peace and joy possessing, All things are ours, for we have all in Him.



4 Praise ye the Father! God the Lord who gave us, With full and perfect love, His only Son; Praise ye the Son who died Himself to save us! Praise ye the Spirit! praise the Three in One!

Lady M. C. Campbell, 1838.





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Ps. cxxx. 7. "Plenteous redemption."

- 1 NOW begin the heavenly theme, Ye, who His salvation prove, Triumph in redeeming love.
- 2 Ye, who see the Father's grace Beaming in the Saviour's face, As to Canaan on ye move, Praise and bless redeeming love.
- 3 Mourning souls, dry up your tears, Banish all your guilty fears! See your curse and guilt remove, Cancelled by redeeming love.

Tune Patmos. 77, 77.

- 4 Ye, alas! who long have been Willing slaves to death and sin, Now from bliss no longer rove; Stop and taste redeeming love.
- 5 Welcome all by sin oppressed, Welcome to His sacred rest, Nothing brought Him from above, Nothing but redeeming love.
- 6 When His Spirit leads us home, When we to His glory come, We shall all the fulness prove Of our Lord's redeeming love!

Martin Madan's Collection, 1763.

WALDECK.

[H. P. 4.]



619 Ps. cvi. 2. "Who can show forth all His praise?"

OH! render thanks to God above, The Fountain of eternal love; Whose mercy firm through ages past Has stood, and shall for ever last.

2 Who can His mighty deeds express, Not only vast, but numberless? What mortal eloquence can raise His tribute of immortal praise?

Tune WALDECK. L. M.

- 3 Extend to me that favour, Lord, Thou to Thy chosen dost afford: When Thou return'st to set them free. Let Thy salvation visit me.
- 4 Oh! may I worthy prove to see Thy saints in full prosperity!
 That I the joyful choir may join,
 And count Thy people's triumph mine!

Tate and Brady, 1696.

NOTTINGHAM; or, ST. MAGNUS.

[H. P. 39.]

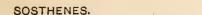
Ps. cv. 3. "Glory ye in His holy Name." Tune Nottingham. C. M.

- 1 OH! render thanks and bless the Lord, Invoke His sacred name, Acquaint the nations with His deeds, His matchless deeds proclaim.
- 2 Sing to His praise in lofty hymns. His wondrous works rehearse: Make them the theme of your discourse, And subject of your verse.
- 3 Rejoice in His almighty name, Rejoice in His annually, Alone to be adored;
 Alone their hearts o'erflow with joy
 And let their hearts o'erflow with joy
 That humbly seek the Lord!
 Tate and Brady, 1606.

Zech. ix. 9. "Rejoice greatly . . . thy King cometh."

Tune Sosthenes. 10 11, 11 11, 12 11. 1 SHOUT the glad tidings, exultingly sing; Jerusalem triumphs, Messiah is King!

Zion the marvellous story is telling, The Son of the Highest, how lowly His birth! The brightest archangel in glory excelling, He stoops to redeem thee, He reigns upon earth. Shout the glad tidings, etc.

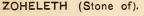


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- 2 Tell how He cometh, from nation to nation; The heart-cheering news let the earth echo round; How free to the faithful He offers salvation, How His people with joy everlasting are crowned. Shout the glad tidings, etc.
- 3 Mortals, your homage be gratefully bringing, And sweet let the gladsome hosanna arise! Ye angels, the full hallelujah be singing, One chorus resound through the earth and the skies. Shout the glad tidings, etc.

W. A. Muhlenberg, D.D., 1827.



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622 Ps. evii. 21. "Oh that men would praise the Lord for His goodness." Tune Zohleleth. 87, 87, 887.

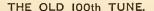
- 1 SING praise to God who reigns above,
 The God of all creation,
 The God of power, the God of love,
 The God of our salvation;
 With healing balm my soul He fills,
 And every faithless murmur stills:
 To God all praise and glory.
- 2 The angel-host, O King of kings,
 Thy praise for ever telling,
 In earth and sky all living things
 Beneath Thy shadow dwelling,
 Adore the wisdom which could span,
 And power which formed creation's plan:
 To God all praise and glory.
- 3 What God's almighty power hath made His gracious mercy keepeth;
 By morning glow or evening shade His watchful eye ne'er sleepeth:
 Within the kingdom of His might,
 Lo! all is just and all is right:
 To God all praise and glory.

- 4 The Lord is never far away:
 But, through all grief distressing,
 An ever present help and stay,
 Our peace and joy and blessing:
 As with a mother's tender hand
 He leads His own, His chosen band:
 To God all praise and glory.
- 5 When every earthly hope has flown
 From sorrow's sons and daughters,
 Our Father from His heavenly throne
 Beholds the troubled waters;
 And at His word the storm is stayed
 Which made His children's hearts afraid:
 To God all praise and glory.
- 6 Thus all my toilsome way along
 I sing aloud Thy praises,
 That men may hear the grateful song
 My voice unwearied raises:
 Be joyful in the Lord, my heart;
 Both soul and body, bear your part:
 To God all praise and glory!

Johann Jacob Schütz, 1673; F. E. Cox (tr.), 1811.

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Ps. c. 2. "Serve the Lord with gladness."

ALL people that on earth do dwell,
Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice;
Him serve with mirth, His praise forth tell; Come ye before Him and rejoice.

2 Know that the Lord is God indeed: Without our aid He did us make; We are His flock, He doth us feed; And for His sheep He doth us take.

Tune OLD HUNDREDTH. L. M.

- 3 Oh, enter then His gates with praise, Approach with joy His courts unto: Praise, laud, and bless His name always, For it is seemly so to do.
- 4 For why? the Lord our God is good, His mercy is for ever sure; His truth at all times firmly stood, And shall from age to age endure! William Kethe, 1562.

THE OLD 100th TUNE.

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625 Ps. c. 4. "Enter into His . . . courts with praise." Tune OLD HUNDREDTH.

1 WITH one consent let all the earth To God their cheerful voices raise; Glad homage pay with awful mirth,
And sing before Him songs of praise:

2 Convinced that He is God alone, From whom both we and all proceed; We, whom He chooses for His own, The flock that He vouchsafes to feed.

3 Oh, enter then His temple gate, Thence to His courts devoutly press; And still your grateful hymns repeat, And still His name with praises bless.

4 For He's the Lord, supremely good, His mercy is for ever sure; His truth, which always firmly stood, To endless ages shall endure! Tate and Brady, 1696. 626 Job xxxviii. 7. "The morning stars sung together, and all the sons of God shouted for joy." Tune PISGAH.

1 SONGS of praise the angels sang, Heaven with Hallelujahs rang, When Jehovah's work begun, When He spake, and it was done.

2 Songs of praise awoke the morn, When the Prince of Peace was born: Songs of praise arose, when He Captive led captivity.

3 Heaven and earth must pass away; Songs of praise shall crown that day: God will make new heavens and earth; Songs of praise shall hail their birth.

4 And shall man alone be dumb Till that glorious kingdom come? No! the church delights to raise Psalms and hymns and songs of praisc.

5 Saints below, with heart and voice, Still in songs of praise rejoice: Learning here, by faith and love, Songs of praise to sing above.

6 Borne upon their latest breath, Songs of praise shall conquer death; Then, amidst eternal joy, Songs of praise their powers employ!

James Montgomery, 1819.

[H. P. 137.] PISGAH (Mount). Hal - le - lu - jahl Hal - le - lu - jah,



Rev. xv. 3. "The song of the Lamb." Tune AVEN. S. M.

AWAKE, and sing the song Of Moses and the Lamb; Tune every heart, and every tongue, To praise the Saviour's name.

2 Sing of His dying love, Sing of His rising power; Sing how He intercedes above For all whose sins He bore.

3 Sing till we feel our hearts Ascending with our tongues; Sing till the love of sin departs, And grace inspires our songs.

4 Soon shall we hear Him say, "Ye blessèd children, come" Soon will He call us hence away, To our eternal home.

5 There shall our joy be full, And love a warmer flame, And sweeter voices tune the song Of Moses and the Lamb! Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709: William Hammond, 1745.



628 Rev. xix. 1. "Salvation, and glory, and honour, and power, unto the Lord our God."

Tune Ripon. 10 10, 11 11. Or Hanover.

1 YE servants of God, Your Master proclaim,
And nublish abroad His wandooffel. And publish abroad His wonderful name: The name all victorious Of Jesus extol; His kingdom is glorious And reigns over all.

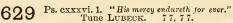
2 God ruleth on high, Almighty to save; And still He is nigh, His presence we have; The great congregation His triumph shall sing, Ascribing salvation To Jesus our King.

3 Salvation to God, Who sits on the throne, Let all cry aloud, And honour the Son; The praises of Jesus The angels proclaim, Fall down on their faces, And worship the Lamb.



Then let us adore, And give Him His right, All glory and power, And wisdom and night; All honour and blessing, With angels above, And thanks never ceasing, For infinite love!

Charles Wesley, 1744, (a.)



- 1 LET us, with a gladsome mind, Praise the Lord, for He is kind: For His mercies shall endure, Ever faithful, ever sure.
- 2 Let us sound His name abroad, For of gods He is the God: For His mercies shall endure, Ever faithful, ever sure.
- 3 He, with all-commanding might, Filled the new-made world with light: For His mercies shall endure, Ever faithful, ever sure.
- 4 All things living He doth feed; His full hand supplies their need: For His mercies shall endure, Ever faithful, ever sure.
- 5 He His chosen race did bless In the wasteful wilderness: For His mercies shall endure, Ever faithful, ever sure.
- 6 He hath, with a piteous eye, Looked upon our misery: For His mercies shall endure, Ever faithful, ever sure.
- 7 Let us then, with gladsome mind, Praise the Lord, for He is kind: For His mercies shall endure, Ever faithful, ever sure! John Milton, 1628.

LUBECK. [H. P. 139.]

Hal - le - lu - jah, Hal - le - lu - jah!



"I will praise Thee, O Lord, with my whole heart.' Tune YORK. C. M. Or GLOUCESTER.

1 TO celebrate Thy praise, O Lord, I will my heart prepare; To all the listening world Thy works, Thy wondrous works, declare.

2 The thought of them shall to my soul Exalted pleasure bring;
Whilst to Thy name, O Thou Most High,
Triumphant praise I sing.

- 3 All those who have His goodness proved Will in His truth confide; Whose mercy ne'er forsook the man That on His help relied.
- 4 His suffering saints, when most distressed, He ne'er forgets to aid; Their expectations shall be crowned,
- Though for a time delayed. 5 Sing praises, therefore, to the Lord From Zion, His abode; Proclaim His deeds, till all the world Confess no other God!

Tate and Brady, 1696.

ARRAN.

[H. P. 59.]



63] Ps. exxxvii. 3. "Sing us one of the songs of Zion."

1 SING them, my children, sing them still, Those sweet and holy songs! Oh! let the psalms of Zion's hill Be heard from youthful tongues.

2 Oh! sing them at the cheerful dawn,

The rising morn to cheer;
And sing them round the evening hearth,
When fires are blazing clear.

Tune ARRAN. C. M.

3 Sing them when Sabbath schools are met. And your young voices raise Their Sabbath evening melodies,

To their Redeemer's praise. 4 So shall each unforgotten word, When distant far you roam,

Call back your hearts which once it stirred, To childhood's blessed home! Horatius Bonar, D.D., 1844.



A The followers of the Lamb?

And shall we fear to own His cause,
Or blush to speak His name?

Now we must fight, if we would reign:
Increase our courage, Lord;
We'll bear the toil, endure the pain,
Supported by Thy word.

Shall conquer, though they 're slain;
They see the triumph from afar,
And shall with Jesus reign.

4 When that illustrious day shall rise,
And all Thine armies shine
In robes of victory through the skies,
The glory shall be Thine!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1721.



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Heb. xii. 1. "Let us run."

1 AWAKE, my soul, stretch every nerve,
A heavenly race demands thy zeal,
And an immortal crown.

2 A cloud of witnesses around Hold thee in full survey; Forget the steps already trod, And onward urge thy way.

Patient, gracious, powerful, holy,

All His grace shall there abound.

Tune IONA. C. M.

3 'Tis God's all-animating voice
That calls thee from on high;
'Tis His own hand presents the prize
To thine aspiring eye.

He who to His rest shall greet thee

4 Blest Saviour, introduced by Thee, Have I my race begun; And crowned with victory, at Thy feet I'll lay my honours down! Pattip boddridge, D.D., 1755,

Greets thee with a well-known love!

J. N. Darby, 1837.



Wait for the eternal day!

Horatius Bonar, D.D., 1857.

Let my eye unshrinking turn!



640 2 Tim. ii. 3. "A good soldier of Jesus Christ."

1 OFT in sorrow, oft in woe; Onward, Christians, onward go; Fight the fight, maintain the strife, Strengthened by the Bread of Life.

2 Onward, Christians, onward go; Join the war, and face the foe; Faint not! much doth yet remain; Dreary is the long campaign.

3 Shrink not, Christians! will ye yield? Will ye quit the battle-field? Will ye flee in danger's hour? Know ye not your Captain's power?

Tune Patmos. 77, 77.

4 Let your drooping hearts be glad; March, in heavenly armour clad; Fight, nor think the battle long; Victory soon shall tune your song.

5 Let not sorrow dim your eye, Soon shall every tear be dry; Let not fears your course impede; Great your strength, if great your need.

6 Onward then to glory move More than conquerors ye shall prove; Though opposed by many a foe, Christian soldiers, onward go! H. Kirke White, 1806; F. F. Maitland, 1827.

SARDIS. (HYMN CHANT.)

[H. P. No. VI.]



641 Gal. ii. 20. "I live by the faith of the Son of God."

Tune, Hymn Chant SARDIS.

5 Teach me to live! no idler let me be,

1 TEACH me to live! 'tis easier far to die-Gently and silently to pass away-On earth's long night to close the heavy eye, And waken in the realms of glorious day.

2 Teach me that harder lesson—how to live To serve Thee in the darkest paths of life! Arm me for conflict now-fresh vigour give, And make me more than conqueror in the strife.

3 Teach me to live!—Thy purpose to fulfil; Bright for Thy glory let my taper shine! Each day renew, remould my stubborn will: Closer round Thee my heart's affections twine.

4 Teach me to live for self and sin no more; But use the time remaining to me yet, Not mine own pleasure seeking as before-Wasting no precious hours in vain regret. See Hymns 765—773, 956, 970.

Thy smile sheds gladness on the darkest road. 7 Teach me to live!—and find my life in Thee— Looking from earth and earthly things away;

But in Thy service hand and heart employ; Prepared to do Thy bidding cheerfully— Be this my highest and my holiest joy.

6 Teach me to live!—my daily cross to bear:
Nor murmur though I bend beneath its load.
Only be with me; let me feel Thee near:

Let me not falter, but untiringly
Press on; and gain new strength and power each day.

8 Teach me to live!—with kindly words for all—Wearing no cold, repulsive brow of gloom; Waiting, with cheerful patience, till Thy call Summons my spirit to her heavenly home! Ellen Elizabeth Burman, 1860.

(26) COURAGE.

Ps. lxxi. 16. "I will go in the strength of the Lord God."

Tune AQUILA. 9998, 8888.

1 T WILL go in the strength of the Lord, In the path He hath marked for my feet;

I will follow the light of His word, Nor shrink from the dangers I meet. His presence my steps shall attend; His fulness my wants shall supply; On Him, till my journey shall end, My hope shall securely rely.





2 I will go in the strength of the Lord To the work He appoints me to do; In the joy which His smile shall afford, My soul shall her vigour renew. His wisdom will guard me from harm, His wayer my sufficiency prove

His power my sufficiency prove:

trust His omnipotent arm; I rest in His covenant love. 3 I will go in the strength of the Lord

To each conflict which faith may require:

And His grace, as my shield and reward,
My courage and zeal shall inspire.

If He give the word of command
To meet and encounter the foe,
With sling and with stone in my hand,
In the strength of the Lord I will go! Church Missionary Gleaner, January, 1861.

FRANCONIA. [H. P. 87.]

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Josh. i. 9. "Be strong and of a good courage."

1 YOUR harps, ye trembling saints. Down from the willows take: Loud to the praise of love Divine, Bid every string awake.

2 Though in a foreign land, We are not far from home; And nearer to our house above We every moment come.

3 His grace will to the end Stronger and brighter shine; Nor present things, nor things to come, Shall quench the spark Divine.

4 The people of His choice He will not cast away: Yet do not always here expect On Tabor's mount to stay.

5 When we in darkness walk Nor feel the heavenly flame. Tune FRANCONIA.

Then is the time to trust our God, And rest upon His name.

6 Soon shall our doubts and fears Subside at His control: His loving-kindness shall break through The midnight of the soul.

7 Wait till the shadows flee; Wait thy appointed hour, Wait till the Bridegroom of thy soul Reveals His sovereign power.

8 Tarry His leisure then, Although He seem to stay A moment's intercourse with Him Thy grief will overpay.

9 Blest is the man, O God, That stays himself on Thee! Who waits for Thy salvation, Lord, Shall Thy salvation see! Augustus M. Toplady, 1772.

1 Tim. vi. 12. "Fight the good fight of faith."

Tune St. SILAS. 10 10, 11 11.

1 BREAST the wave, Christian, when it is strongest; Watch for day, Christian, when the night's longest; Onward, and onward still, be thine

endeavour; The rest that remaineth will be for

2 Fight the fight, Christian-Jesus is o'er thee; Run the race, Christian—heaven is

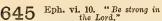
before thee: He who hath promised faltereth

never: The love of eternity flows on for ever.

3 Lift the eye, Christian, just as it closeth; Raise the heart, Christian, ere it reposeth;



Thee from the love of Christ nothing shall sever: Mount when thy work is done-praise Him for ever. Joseph Stammers, 1830.



Tune St. John's. 6666,88.

HARK, 'tis a martial sound! To arms, ye saints, to arms! Your foes are gathering round, And peace has lost its charms Prepare the helmet, sword, and shield; The trumpet calls you to the field.

No common foes appear To dare you to the fight,
But such as own no fear,
And glory in their might:
The powers of darkness are at hand; Resist, or bow to their command.

An arm of flesh must fail In such a strife as this; He only can prevail

Whose arm immortal is: "Tis Heaven itself the strength must yield, And weapons fit for such a field."

And Heaven supplies them too!
The Lord, who never faints,
Is greater than the foe, And He is with His saints:



Thus armed, they venture to the fight; Thus armed, they put their foes to flight.

And, when the conflict's past, On yonder peaceful shore They shall repose at last, And see their foes no more; The fruits of victory enjoy, And never more their arms employ!

Thomas Kelly, 1809.

[H. P. 183.]

FRANKFORT.

Heb. xii. 11. "Nevertheless, afterward." 646 Tune Frankfort. 87, 87.

> 1 NoW, the sowing and the weeping, Working hard and waiting long; Afterward, the golden reaping, Harvest home and grateful song.

2 Now, the pruning, sharp, unsparing; Scattered blossom, bleeding shoot; Afterward, the plenteous bearing Of the Master's pleasant fruit.

S Now, the plunge, the briny burden, Blind faint gropings in the sea; Afterward, the pearly guerdon That shall make the diver free.

- 4 Now, the long and toilsome duty Stone by stone to carve and bring:
 Afterward, the perfect beauty
 Of the palace of the King.
- 5 Now, the tuning and the tension, Wailing minors, discord strong; Afterward, the grand ascension Of the Alleluia song.
- 6 Now, the spirit conflict-riven, Wounded heart, unequal strife; Afterward, the triumph given, And the victor's crown of life.
- 7 Now, the training, strange and lowly, Unexplained and tedious now; Afterward, the service holy,
 And the Master's "Enter thou!"
 Frances Ridley Havergal, 1870.

See Hymn 149.

EVAN I.

[H. P. 54.]



(27) PEACE AND JOY.

647 Isa. xxvi. 3. "Perfect peace."

A MIND at "perfect peace" with God! Oh, what a word is this! A sinner reconciled through blood-This, this indeed is peace.

Tune EVAN I. C. M. Or KENT.

2 By nature and by practice far-How very far, from God! Yet now by grace brought nigh to Him, Through faith in Jesu's blood.

- 3 So nigh, so very nigh to God, I cannot nearer be: For in the person of His Son I am as near as He.
- 4 So dear, so very dear to God, More dear I cannot be;

The love wherewith He loves His Son, Such is His love for me.

5 Why should I ever careful be, Since such a God is mine? He watches o'er me night and day, And tells me, "Mine is thine!" Catesby Paget, 1855.



- 648 John xiv. 27. "Peace I leave with you, My peace I give unto you." Tune EIRENE. 11 10, 11 10.
- 1 CHILD of My love; ere from the cross uplifted, The heavens receive Me to My kingly throne, My peace I leave thee—not as earth bestoweth Her fading gifts, I give unto Mine own.
- 2 Child of My purchase! heir of fadeless glory, In tribulation great thou shalt be tried; Yet in My peace, which passeth understanding, Thy steadfast soul for ever shall abide.
- 3 My peace I give thee—though to thy dim vision The narrow path in darkness fade away; Strengthen thy faltering faith, the morn shall show thee My bleeding footprints on the rugged way.
- 4 Peace shall be thine—though bitter memories thronging,
 Of countless sins, across thy spirit roll,
 Although the' accuser of the holy brethren
 With darkest doubts assail thy weary soul.

- 5 Peace, in the lonely hours of weary waiting, In valley twilight, cold, and sad, and grey; Behold the mountain tops already rosy With the bright flush of the long looked-for day!
- 6 Peace, in the day when death's cold waters swelling Around thy feet thy trembling soul affright; The Hand that in the wilderness hath led thee By the right way shall guide thee into light.
- 7 Peace, when the strange new sound of angel hymnings Breaks in wild music on thy wondering ear; Peace, when thy human soul, unclothed and lonely, Before My throne in judgment shall appear.
- 8 Peace perfected, when from the din of battle
 The everlasting doors shall close thee in:
 When thou shalt know, upon My throne beside Me,
 Victorious calm, freedom from strife and sin!

 Isabella I. Bird, 1860.
- 649 John xvi. 27. "The Father Himself loveth you."
- 1 BE still, my soul, Jehovah loveth thee!
 Fret not, nor murmur at thy weary lot;
 Though dark and lone thy journey seems to be,
 Be sure that thou art ne'er by Him forgot.
 He ever loves; then trust Him, trust Him still:
 Let all thy care be this—the doing of His will.
- 2 Thy hand in His, like fondest, happiest child, Place thou, nor draw it for a moment thence; Walk thou with Him, a Father reconciled, Till in His own good time He calls thee hence. Walk with Him now; so shall thy way be bright, And all thy soul be filled with His most glorious light.
- Tune EIRENE. 10 10, 10 10, 10 12. Or LAODICEA.
- 3 Take courage, faint not, though the foe be strong, Christ is thy strength! He fighteth on thy side; Swift be thy race; remember 'tis not long, The goal is near; the prize He will provide. And then from earthly toil thou restest ever; Never again to toil, or fight, or fear—Oh! never.
- 4 He comes, with His reward; 'tis just at hand;
 He comes in glory to His promised throne;
 My soul, rejoice! ere long thy feet shall stand
 Within the city of the Blessèd Onc.
 Thy perils past, thy heritage secure,
 Thy tears all wiped away, thy joy for ever sure!

 Horatius Bonar, D.D., 1867.

Ps. xvi. 11. "In Thy presence is fulness of joy; at Thy right hand there are pleasures for evermore."

Tune IDUMEA. 87, 87, 47.

1 FAITHFUL pilgrim, homeward wending, Toward the city sure and fair; Hopeful pilgrim, heavenward tending, Knowest thou what awaits thee there? Joy in fulness,

Pleasures bright for evermore.

2 Here—the flerceness of temptation,
Frequent tears for frequent sin,
Strife of secret tribulation:
But when once thou rt entered in,
Joy in fulness,

Pleasures bright for evermore.

3 Here—the broken voice of weeping
For thine own or others' care;
Wave of stormy sorrow sweeping
O'er thy troubled heart: but there,
Joy in fulness,
Pleasures bright for evermore.

4 Hre—the shade of death's dark portal, Widowed grief and orphan cries, Dust to dust, as vile and mortal: But when thou hast gained the prize,

Joy in fulness, Pleasures bright for evermore.

5 Keep my soul, O loving Saviour, From the world and Satan's snare;



Guard me by Thy gracious favour:

Make me meet with Thee to share
Joy in fulness,
Pleasures bright for evermore!

Ebenczer Hewlett, 1860.

KENT.

[H. P. 63.]



Mark vi. 31. "Come ye yourselves apart."

TAR from the world, O Lord, I flee, From strife and tumult far; From scenes where Satan wages still His most successful war.

2 The calm retreat, the silent shade, With prayer and praise agree, And seem by Thy sweet bounty made For those who follow Thee.

3 There, if Thy Spirit touch the soul, And grace her mean abode, Oh! with what peace, and joy, and love, She communes with her God! Tune Kent. C. M.

4 There, like the nightingale, she pours Her solitary lays, Nor asks a witness of her song, Nor thirsts for human praise.

5 Author and Guardian of my life; Sweet Source of light Divine; And, all harmonious names in one, My Saviour! Thou art mine!

6 What thanks I owe Thee, and what love, A boundless, endless store, Shall echo through the realms above When time shall be no more! William Cowper, 1765.

652 Col. i. 13. "He hath translated us into the Eugdom of His dear Son." Tune Kent. C. M. Or Eden.

1 HAPPY the souls to Jesus joined, And saved by grace alone: Walking in all His ways, they find Their heaven on earth begun.

2 The church triumphant in Thy love, Their mighty joys we know: They sing the Lamb in hymns above, And we in hymns below. 3 Thee in Thy glorious realms they praise, And bow before Thy throne; We in the kingdom of Thy grace: The kingdoms are but one.

4 The holy to the holiest leads;
From thence our spirits rise;
And he that in Thy statutes treads
Shall meet Thee in the skies!

Charles Wesley, 1745.

Phil. iv. 4. "Rejoice in the Lord alway."

REJOICE in the Lord! there is light in the dwelling, And peace in the spirit, where Christ is the Guest; And surely the chorus might always be swelling Around the glad threshold which Jesus has blessed.

Tune Hobah. 12 11, 12 11.

2 Rejoice in the Lord! He will scatter the sadness That broods o'er the sanctified home of His friends; And days as they pass will be radiant with gladness, Where prayer from the family altar ascends.



3 Rejoice in the Lord! the fresh flowerets are springing

In fragrance and beauty to gladden thy way: The Father of mercies His largess is flinging— New tokens of love for each newly born day.

4 Rejoice in the Lord! He is tenderly leading Each step that His wisdom requires thee to take; And He will supply all the strength thou art needing, Who loveth for ever, and will not forsake. 5 Rejoice in the Lord! there is joy for thee ever, If thou in thy lifetime belongest to Him; A bond—all of love—which no change can e'er sever A sun o'er thy head which no storm-cloud can dim

6 Rejoice in the Lord! He awaits thee in heaven, With myriads who make His light service their choice;

And shortly the robe and the crown will be given To thee! Then, believer, oh! always rejoice!

Marianne Farningham Hearn, 1860.

654 Ps. xci. 4. "Under His wings shalt thou trust." Tune IDUMEA. 87, 87, 47.

HAPPY they who trust in Jesus, Sweet their portion is and sure: When the foe on others seizes, He will keep His own secure; Happy people! Happy, though despised and poor.

2 Ye whom God has saved from error, Ye "who know the joyful sound," Fear ye not the nightly terror; Arms of mercy close you round: Dread no evil; God will all your foes confound.

3 Since His love and mercy found you, Ye are precious in His sight; Thousands now may fall around you,
Thousands more be put to flight;
But His presence
Keeps you safe, by day and night.

4 Lo! your Saviour never slumbers, Ever watchful is His care; Though ye cannot boast of numbers, In His strength secure ye are; Sweet their portion, Who our Saviour's kindness share.

5 As a bird beneath her feathers Guards the objects of her care, So the Lord His children gathers, Spreads His wings and hides them there; Thus protected, All their foes they boldly dare!

Thomas Kelly, 1806.

WINCHESTER.

[H. P. 46.]



Rom. xv. 13. "Joy and peace in believing."
Tune Winchester. C. M.

1 JOY is a fruit that will not grow In nature's barren soil; All we can boast, till Christ we know, Is vanity and toil.

2 But where the Lord has planted grace, And made His glories known, There fruits of heavenly joy and peace Are found, and there alone. 3 A bleeding Saviour seen by faith, A sense of pardoning love,

A hope that triumphs over death, Give joys like those above.

4 To take a glimpse within the veil, To know that God is mine, Are springs of joy that never fail— Unspeakable, Divine!

5 These are the joys which satisfy And sanctify the mind; Which make the spirit mount on high, And leave the world behind!

John Newton, 1779.



Deut. xxxiii. 29. "Happy art thou." 656 Tune GIBBONS. 77, 77. Or PATMOS.

- 1 HAPPY Christian! God's own child. Chosen, called, and reconciled; Once a rebel far from God, Now brought nigh by Jesu's blood.
- 2 Happy Christian! look on high, See thy portion in the sky: Fixed by everlasting love. Who that portion can remove?

- 3 Happy Christian! though the earth Knows not now thy heavenly birth, Yet thy God shall soon proclaim, Through all worlds, thy favoured name.
- 4 Happy Christian! hear Him say, "Turn thy heart from earth away, Leave the world and all its woes, Seek in Me thy full repose.
- 5 Happy Christian! look on high, Christ, thy Lord, thy life, is nigh! Soon thou shalt His glory see— Learn His wondrous love to thee! John Harington Evans' Collection, 1838.

THYATIRA. (HYMN CHANT.)

[H. P. No. V.]



657 Job xxii. 21. "Acquaint now thyself with Him, and be at peace."

Tune, Hymn Chant THYATIRA. L. M. Or HERMON.

- 1 ART thou acquainted, O my soul! With such a Sayiour, such a Friend? Whose power can all events control, And from all evils can defend?
- 2 Why art thou then oppressed with fears? Knowledge of Him should give thee peace, Should check these often-flowing tears, And bid these sad misgivings cease.
- 3 Is it the past that gives thee pain?
 __Transgressions, falls, dost thou deplore? The' atoning blood pleads not in vain, Thy God remembers them no more.
- 4 Do present troubles vex thy mind? Sufferings of body, mental care? In God a refuge thou wilt find; And oh! what sweet relief in prayer.

- 5 Dost thou o'er friends much valued weep, Who seem in hopeless fetters bound? Christ will seek out His wandering sheep, Those who seem lost will then be found.
- 6 Dost thou the unknown future dread? Thy passage through death's awful vale? E'en there shall light around be shed; Thy God's sure promise cannot fail.
- 7 Dost thou with dread still greater shrink From pain for those on earth most dear? And oft with sickening anguish think On all they yet may suffer here?
- 8 O faithless, unbelieving heart, So slow to trust that tenderest Friend:
 Who then will needful strength impart,
 Who "loving, loves unto the end!"
- 9 No longer doubt, nor fear, nor grieve, Nor on uncertain evils dwell: Past, present, future calmly leave To Him who will do all things well! Charlotte Elliott, 1830.

EVAN I.

[H. P. 54.]



Ps. xxiii. 5. "My cup runneth over." 658 Tune EVAN I. C. M.

1 O THOU whose bounty fills my cup With every blessing meet, I give Thee thanks for every drop, The bitter and the sweet.

- 2 I praise Thee for the desert road, And for the river side : For all Thy goodness hath bestowed, And all Thy grace denied.
- 3 I thank Thee both for smile and frown, And for the gain and loss; I praise Thee for the future crown,
- And for the present cross.

4 I thank Thee for the wing of love, Which stirred my worldly nest, And for the stormy clouds that drove The flutterer to Thy breast.

5 I bless Thee for the glad increase, And for the waning joy; And for this strange, this settled peace, Which nothing can destroy! Jane Crewdson, 1860.



659 Cant. ii. 16. "My Beloved is mine, and I am His." Tune, Hymn Chant LAODICEA. 10 10, 10 10, 10 10.

LONG did I toil, and knew no earthly rest:
Far did I rove, and found no certain home;
At last I sought them in His sheltering breast,
Who opes His arms, and bids the weary come:
With Him I found a home, a rest Divine;
And I, since then, am His, and He is mine.

2 Yes! He is mine! and nought of earthly things, Not all the charms of pleasure, wealth, or power, The fame of heroes or the pomp of kings, Could tempt me to forego His love an hour. Go, worthless world, I cry, with all that's thine! Go! I my Saviour's am, and He is mine.

3 The good I have is from His stores supplied;
The ill is only what He deems the best;
He for my friend, I'm rich with nought beside;
And poor without Him, though of all possessed:
Changes may come; I take, or I resign;
Content while I am His, while He is mine.

4 Whate'er may change, in Him no change is seen;
A glorious Sun, that wanes not nor declines:
Above the clouds and storms He walks serene,
And sweetly on His people's darkness shines:
All may depart; I fret not, nor repine,
While I my Saviour's am, while He is mine.

5 He stays me falling, lifts me up when down, Reclaims me wandering, guards from every foe; Plants on my worthless brow the victor's crown, Which, in return, before His feet I throw, Grieved that I cannot better grace His shrine, Who deigns to own me His, as He is mine.

6 While here, alas! I know but half His love, But half discern Him, and but half adore; But when I meet Him in the realms above, I hope to love Him better, praise Him more, And feel, and tell, amid the choir Divine, How fully I am His, and He is mine! Henry Francis Lyte, 1833.



G60 John xiv. 27. "My peace I give unto you."

1 PEACE in Jesus! blessed promise,
Covenant word of changeless love,
Sealed in blood, and daily witnessed
By Thy grace, Eternal Dove.
Peace in Jesus! oh what blessing,
Calm and pure, our spirits know;
When, the ties of earth forgotten,
All our joys from Jesus flow.

2 Softly glides Siloah's fountain
Through this wide and howling waste;
Surest, sweetest peace affording
All, its hallowed streams who taste.
From the conflict, faint and thirsty,
Deep we drain the cup of love;
Oh that deeper still our spirits
Might its endless blessings prove.

Tune St. ASAPH. 87, 87. D.

3 Peace in Jesus! though around us Rage the tempest's angry strife; Though the deep her fountains open, O'er them floats the ark of life. There the weary dove, returning From that dark and trackless sea, Folds in peace her drooping pinions, Sheltered from the storm in Thee.

4 Though on earth we've scorn and trouble, In ourselves but shame and sin; All without, the reign of darkness, Fearful conflict off within; He who died, and lives for ever, Saves and guards from every ill; Jesus walks upon the waters, And commandeth, "Peace, be still!"

Hymns of the Household of Faith, 1861.



661 Ps. iv. 6. "Lift Thou up the light of Thy countenance." Tune St. CHRYSOSTOM.

Or NAYLAND.

1 PTERNAL Sun of Righteousness, Display Thy beams Divine, And cause the glory of Thy face Upon my heart to shine.

2 Light, in Thy light, oh may I see, Thy grace and mercy prove; Revived and comforted by Thee, The God of pardoning love.

3 Lift up Thy countenance serene, And let Thy happy child Behold, without a cloud between, The Godhead reconciled.

4 Thy peace, with holiness, bestow On me through grace forgiven; My wish, to serve Thee here below, Then reign with Thee in heaven! Charles Wesley, 1741. (a.)

Luke x. 5. "Peace be to thi house!" 662 Tune Godesberg. 87.87. D.

1 PEACE be to this habitation; Peace to all that dwell therein; Peace, the earnest of salvation; Peace, the fruit of pardoned sin; Peace that speaks the heavenly Giver; Peace to worldly minds unknown; Peace Divine, that lasts for ever; Peace that comes from God alone.

2 Jesus, Prince of Peace, be near us, Fix in all our hearts Thy home; With Thy gracious presence cheer us, Let Thy sacred kingdom come; Raise to heaven our expectation; Give our ransomed souls to prove Glorious and complete salvation In the realms of bliss above! Charles Wesley, 1749.





"There ariseth Ps. cxii. 4. light in the darkness." Tune Boston. 76, 76. D. Or MAHANAIM.

1 SOMETIMES a light surprises The Christian while he sings; It is the Lord who rises With healing in His wings, When comforts are declining, He grants the soul again A season of clear shining, To cheer it, after rain.

2 In holy contemplation We sweetly then pursue
The theme of God's salvation,
And find it ever new. Set free from present sorrow, We cheerfully can say, E'en let the unknown morrow

Bring with it what it may.

3 It can bring with it nothing
But He will bear us through:
Who gives the lilies clothing
Will clothe His people too:
Beneath the spreading heavens
No creature but is fed;
And He who feeds the ravens
Will gire His children head

Will give His children bread.

4 Though vine nor fig-tree neither Their wonted fruit should bear, Though all the field should wither, Nor flocks nor herds be there; Yet God the same abiding,
His praise shall tune my voice;
For while in Him confiding, I cannot but rejoice!

William Cowper, 1779.



Isa. xxxv. 10. "C Tune DURHAM. 77, 7 1 CHILDREN of the heavenly King,

HILDREN of the heavenly King, As ye journey, sweetly sing; Sing your Saviour's worthy praise, Glorious in His works and ways.

2 We are travelling home to God, In the way the fathers trod;

Isa. XXXV. 10. "Come to Zion with songs."

DURHAM. 77, 77. Or VIENNA.

S. M.

They are happy now, and ye Soon their happiness shall see.

3 Shout, ye little flock and blest! You on Jesu's throne shall rest; There your seat is now prepared, There your kingdom and reward. 4 Fear not, brethren; joyful stand On the borders of your land; Jesus Christ, your Father's Son, Bids you undismayed go on.

5 Lord, obediently we go, Gladly leaving all below; Only Thou our Leader be, And we still will follow Thee! John Cennick, 1742.



665 John xvi. 22. "Your joy no man taketh from you."

Tune AVEN.

1 COME, ye that love the Lord, And let your joys be known; Join in a song with sweet accord, And thus surround the throne,

2 The sorrows of the mind Be banished from the place: Religion never was designed To make our pleasures less. 3 The sons of grace have found Glory begun below; Celestial fruits on earthly ground From faith and hope may grow.

4 The hill of Zion yields
A thousand sacred sweets
Before we reach the heavenly fields,
Or walk the golden streets.

5 Then let our songs abound,
And every tear be dry:
We're marching through Emmanuel's ground,
To fairer worlds on high!
Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.

1 Pet. i. 8. "Believing, ye rejoice." Tune STERNBERG. 10 10, 10 10. D.

1 JOYFULLY, joyfully, onward we move,
Bound to the land of bright spirits above;
Jesus, our Saviour, in mercy says—"Come,
Joyfully, joyfully haste to your home."
Soon will our pilgrimage end here below,
Home to the land of delight will we go;
Pilgrims and strangers no more shall we roam,
Joyfully, joyfully resting at home.

2 Friends fondly cherished have passed on before: Waiting, they watch us approaching the shore: Singing to cheer us through death's chilling

gloom, "Joyfully haste to your home."
"Joyfully, joyfully haste to your home."
Sounds of sweet melody fall on the ear,
Harps of the blessèd, your strains we shall hear,
Filling with harmony heaven's high dome;
Joyfully, joyfully, Jesus, we come.

3 Death with his arrow may soon lay us low; Safe in our Saviour, we fear not the blow; Jesus hath broken the bars of the tomb; Joyfully, joyfully will we go home. Bright will the morn of eternity dawn, Death shall be banished, his seeptre be gone; Joyfully then shall we witness his doom, Joyfully, joyfully, safely at home!

William Hunter, D.D., 1551. (a,)

STERNBERG. [H. P. 245.]



667 Luke i. 47. "My spirit hath rejoiced in God my Saviour." 1 OH for a thousand tongues to sing

My great Redeemer's praise!
The glories of my God and King,
The triumphs of His grace. 2 My gracious Master, and my God,

Assist me to proclaim,
And spread through all the earth abroad,
The honours of Thy name.

See Hymns 38, 39, 63, 134, 281, 697, 701, 730.

Tune CHESALON. C. M.

3 Jesus, the name that charms our fears, That bids our sorrows cease; 'Tis music in the sinner's ears, 'Tis life, and health, and peace.

4 He breaks the power of cancelled sin, He sets the prisoner free: His blood can make the foulest clean,

His blood availed for me! Charles Wesley, 1740.



(1) UNION WITH CHRIST.

668 John vi. 56. "He . . . dwelleth in Me, and I in him." ONE with Christ! O blissful thought! We are by His Spirit taught; On His fulness now we live, Grace for grace we thence receive.

2 One with Christ! ye saints, rejoice, As the objects of His choice; He will every want supply, While He lives we cannot die.

Tune VIENNA. 77.77.

3 One with Christ! for ever one! Debts are paid, and work is done: Grace and glory both are given, We are on our way to heaven! Joseph Irons, 1825.



1 AND is my soul with Jesus one? A is He my covenant Head?
Was it for me He left His throne,
Obeyed the law, and bled?

2 And is my soul with Jesus one In everlasting ties? Oh! matchless mercy—grace unknown, And love that never dies! 3 And is my soul with Jesus one! Betrothed to Him in love? Will He so vile a sinner own, And faithful to me prove?

4 And is my soul with Jesus one? Does He possess my heart? Then He will take me to His throne, For we can never part!

Joseph Irons, 1825.

Col. i. 27. "Christ in you, the hope of glory."

1 LORD JESUS, are we one with Thee?
With Thee we died upon the tree, In Thee we live above.

2 Such was Thy grace, that for our sake Thou didst from heaven come down; Thou didst of flesh and blood partake, In all our sorrows one.

Tune LONDON NEW.

3 Our sins, our guilt, in love Divine, Confessed and borne by Thee; The gall, the curse, the wrath were Thine. To set Thy members free.

4 Ascended now, in glory bright, Still one with us Thou art, Nor life, nor death, nor depth, nor height, Thy saints and Thee can part,

Christina Forsith, 1853.



And soft and sweet the sleep He gives Until the morning light.



John xv. 4. "Abide in Me, and I in you."
Tune, Hymn Chant THYATIRA. 10 10, 10 10.
Or DEPTFORD.

- 1 "A BIDE in Me!" Most loving counsel this, Nearest approach on earth to heavenly bliss; With the command, O Saviour, give me power To live by faith on Thee, from hour to hour.
- 2 "Abide in Me!" For I have strength to give The grace to make thee henceforth heavenward live; Eternal things My Spirit can reveal, And thy heart's earthly dark diseases heal.
- 3 "Abide in Me!" All else must pass away,— This earth so fair, these idols formed of clay; Its riches, pleasures, friendships, pomp and fame,— All evanescent are—all but a name!
- 4 "Abide in Me!" For changeless is My love; Its depth unmeasured, as its height above: Not all thy feelings can its power repel: Wilt thou not trust the love that loves so well?
- 5 "Abide in Me!" No ill can hurt thee there; In Me thou 'rt safe e'en from the tempter's snare: Before his fiery darts o'er thee prevail My life must end, My faithfulness must fail!

PART II.

- 6 "Abide in Me!" if thou wouldst fruitful be: The branch bears not when severed from the tree; Without My Spirit's power, the sapless bough No fruit can bear, for it can nothing do.
- 7 "Abide in Me!" All grace is Mine to give:
 My voice the dead shall hear, and hearing live!
 My Spirit ean thy strongest sins subdue,
 Soften thine heart, and all thy thoughts renew.
- 8 "Abide in Me!" Live only on My love, And thou shalt taste the bliss of saints above; In Me thou shalt have peace; in Me find rest, Though storms should rage around, or cares molest.
- 9 "Abide in Me!" Then safe within the veil, Death cannot hurt, though heart and flesh may fail; One with Myself, who vanquished death and hell, It only breaks the bondage of thy cell!
- 10 "Abide in Me!" Then thou may'st calmly smile On ruined hopes, or ruined worlds the while: Even the trumpet's awful sound shall be The sweetest music ever heard by thee!

Charlotte H. Inglis, 1860.

FRANKFORT.

[H. P. 183.]

674 Gen. xxii. 17. "In blessing I will less thee."
Tune Frankfort. 87, 87.

- 1 MAY the Lord of glory bless thee With His deepest, sweetest love May His Spirit's breath earess thee With a glimpse of joys above.
- 2 May the God of grace protect thee Wheresoe'er 'tis thine to go; Angel-hosts befriend, direct thee, While a pilgrim here below.
- 3 May the Lord who died to save thee, Turning crimson sins to wool— Quench the fears that still enslave thee, Whispering pardon free and full.
- 4 May the blood of Christ restore thee, When thou feel'st the weight of guilt; May His Spirit then empower thee To believe for thee 'twas spilt.

- 5 May the God of love, who chose thee Ere this lower world began, Prove He seeks, and loves, and knows thee, Saved in Christ the glory-man.
- 6 May thy Sire reveal His glory, Christ the Lamb—O matchless sight!— Scattering mists and clouds before thee With a blaze of heavenly light!

PART II.

- 7 May'st thou find, when griefs oppress thee, Sweet relief from Jesu s smile; May the Bridegroom haste to bless thee, Weary days and nights beguile.
- 8 If, without a kinsman near thee, Lone, unfriended, thou shouldst stand, May His Spirit kindly cheer thee, Whispering comfort, soft and bland.

- 9 Yea—thou'lt find, when He doth lure thee To some desert drear and lone, 'Tis that He may more assure thee Thou'art more and more His own.
- 10 E'en when fiery serpents sting thee This shall prove a cause of weat, Christ His blood will fondly bring thee— Balm of life, thy wounds to heal.

See Hymns 419, 420, 445, 446.

- 11 Thus to glory's clime He'll lead thee, Intertwining joy and woe— Cloud, by day, shall still precede thee, Fire, by night, before thee go.
- 12 Bright the spousal that awaits thee, When the school of time is o'er,— To His Son Jehovah gives thee, Bride of Christ for evermore!

William Mushett, 1850.

(2) ADOPTION.

675 Isa. lxi. 9. "The seed which the Lord hath blessed."

Tune RATISBON. 77,77,77. Or SHIOR.

- 1 BLESSED are the sons of God;
 They are bought with Jesu's blood,
 They are ransomed from the grave,
 Life eternal they shall have.
 With them numbered may we be,
 Now, and through eternity.
- Now, and through
 2 God did love them in His Son,
 Long before the world begun;
 They the seal of this receive,
 When on Jesus they believe.
 With, etc.
- 3 They are justified by grace, They enjoy a solid peace; All their sins are washed away, They shall stand in God's great day. With, etc.
- 4 They produce the fruits of grace In the works of righteousness! Born of God, they hate all sin, God's pure word remains within. With, etc
- 5 They have fellowship with God, Through the Mediator's blood; One with God, through Jesus one, Glory is in them begun!

With, etc. Joseph Humphreys, 1743.

RATISBON.

[H. P. 157.]







CYRENE.

[H. P. 92.]



676 1 John iii. 1. "Behold, what manner of love."
Tune Cyrene. S. M.

- 1 BEHOLD what wondrous grace
 The Father hath bestowed
 On sinners of a mortal race,
 To call them sons of God!
- 2 It doth not yet appear How great we must be made: But when we see our Saviour here We shall be like our Head.

- 3 A hope so much Divine
 May trials well endure,
 May purge our souls from sense and sin,
 As Christ the Lord is pure.
- 4 If in my Father's love
 I share a filial part,
 Send down Thy Spirit like a dove,
 To rest upon my heart.
- 5 We would no longer lie
 Like slaves beneath the throne;
 My faith shall Abba Father cry,
 And Thou the kindred own!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.



Eph. i. 5. SONS we are through God's election, Tune ZAANAIM. [87, 87, 47.

Who in Jesus Christ believe; By His own predestination,

Sovereign grace we here receive: Lord, Thy mercy Does both grace and glory give.

2 Every fallen soul, by sinning, Merits everlasting pain; But Thy love, without beginning,
Has restored Thy sons again:
Countless millions

Shall in life, through Jesus, reign. 3 Pause, my soul! adore, and wonder! Ask, "Oh! why such love to me!" Grace has put me in the number Of the Saviour's family; Hallelujah!

Thanks, eternal thanks, to Thee. 4 Since that love had no beginning, And shall never, never cease; Keep, oh! keep me, Lord, from sinning!

Guide me in the way of peace! Safely treading All the paths of holiness!

PART II.

5 When I guit this earthly mansion, And my soul returns to Thee, Let the power of Thy ascension Manifest itself in me: Through Thy Spirit Give the final victory!

6 When the angel sounds the trumpet, When my soul and body join, When my Saviour comes to judgment Bright in majesty Divine; Let me triumph In Thy righteousness as mine.

7 When in that blest habitation. Which my God has foreordained; When in glory's full possession, I with saints and angels stand; Free grace only Shall resound through Canaan's land!

S. P. R., 1777.

WINCHESTER.

(H. P. 46.)



Eph. i. 11. "Being predestinated."

1 A MAZING love, transcendent grace. Redemption's scheme displays, In God's predestinated race; To His eternal praise.

2 His sons, by Him, were all foreknown, And registered above; Predestinated to a crown, By everlasting love.

Tune WINCHESTER. C. M.

Or BESOR.

3 On this eternal, fixed decree, All things in time depend; Salvation, perfect, full and free, And glory without end.

4 'Tis God's predestinating love Transforms the chosen race; Prepares the church for joys above, And crowns triumphant grace!

Joseph Irons, 1825.

679 Rom. viii. 17. "If children, then heirs; heirs of God, and joint-heirs with Christ."

Tune Godesberg. 87, 87. Or Frankfort.

1 HEIR of glory, art thou weeping?
Why should tears bedim thine eyes? Is there not a time of reaping Endless joys beyond the skies?

2 Are not all thy sins forgiven?
Hast thou not the Spirit's seal?
Is not thine a home in heaven? Dost thou not the earnest feel?

3 What now passing, heir of glory, Should thy blissful hopes obscure? When the clouds of earth come o'er thee, Look to Jesus! and endure. 4 See Him there—for thee He's pleading; See thy name upon His breast: He the grace that thou art needing Will supply, and give thec rest.

5 Heir of glory, rise o'er sadness; What of earth is worth thy care? Think upon the songs of gladness Thou shalt soon with angels share!

6 Jesus says, He'll never leave thee, Heavenward He will safely guide; Let not passing shadows grieve thee: Thou art safe when by His side.

7 Fix thine eyes on coming glory-Short the space that lies between; For the joy that's set before thee, Slight the things that now are seen! Charlotte H. Inglis, 1858.

See Hymns 20, 21.





(H. P. 11.)



(3) PARDON.

Col. i. 20. "Peace through the blood of His cross." 680 Tune GILBOA.

1 IN types and shadows, we are told, Jesus was seen in days of old, Before the gospel dawn came in, A glorious Sacrifice for sin.

2 The Paschal Lamb which Israel slew, Ye seed of Jacob, speaks to you; Sets Jesus forth, from blemish free, His blood the sign of peace to thee.

3 If sprinkled o'er thy conscience now, How greatly loved and blest art thou; Thousands there are, who never see His sign of peace made known to thee.

4 Art thou a son for sin distrest? Doth guilt lie heavy on thy breast? In Christ the Lamb deliverance see; His blood the sign of peace to thee.

5 Once Jesus as thy Surety bled, Was crowned with thorns, to Calvary led, From Sinai's curse to set thee free; His blood the sign of peace to thee.

6 Then why, my soul, shouldst thou despair, And doubt thy Saviour's constant care? Torn from Himself thou canst not be; His blood the sign of peace to thee.

7 And when thy God shall bid thee rise To join the chorus of the skies, This thy support in death shall be, His blood the sign of peace to thee!

John Kent, 1803.



681 Col. ii. 13. "Having forgiven you all trespasses."

1 NOW, O joy! my sins are pardoned, Now I can and do believe; Now I can aim do believe;
All I have, and am, and shall be,
To my precious Lord I give;
He aroused my deathly slumbers,
He dispersed my soul's dark night;
Whispered peace, and drew me to Him—
Made Himself my chief delight.

Tune STUTTGARD. 87, 87. Or CULBACH.

2 Let the babe forget its mother, Let the bare lorget its mother,
Let the bridegroom slight his bride;
True to Him, I 'll love none other,
Cleaving closely to His side.
Jesus, hear my soul's confession:
Weak am I, but strength is Thine;
On Thine arms for strength and succour,

Calmly may my soul recline! Albert Midlane, 1865.



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Rom. viii. 1. "No condemnation,"

Tune MAHANAIM. 76, 76, D.

- 1 THERE is no condemnation, But peace and joy unpriced, And full and free salvation To all that are in Christ; The sinner broken-hearted,
 - To all that are in Christ;
 The sinner broken-hearted,
 In penitential tears,
 Has joy and peace imparted
 As soon as Christ appears.
- 2 The law of life in Jesus,
 The Spirit's power within
 This only can release us,
 And break and cancel sin;
 The Saviour and the Spirit
 Received by simple faith:
 And then we rise renewed,
 And conquer sin and death.

3 Made free from condemnation,
And Jesus all our own,
In Him we have salvation,
We trust in Him alone;
And walking in the Spirit,
Into new life we rise,
And, heirs with Christ, inherit
A mansion in the skies!

Benjamin Gough, 1865.



683 1 John i. 7. "The blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanseth us from all sin." Tune JORDAN. 886. D.

- 1 LET Zion in her songs record
 The honours of her dying Lord,
 Triumphant over sin;
 How sweet the song there's none can say,
 But those whose sins are washed away.
 Who feel the same within.
- 2 We claim no merit of our own, But self-condemned, before Thy throne, Our hopes on Jesus place; Though once in heart and life depraved, We now can sing as sinners saved, And praise redeeming grace.
- 3 We'll sing the same while life shall last; And when, at the archangel's blast, Our sleeping dust shall rise, Then in a song for ever new The glorious theme we'll still pursue Throughout the azure skies.
- 4 Prepared of old, at God's right hand Bright everlasting mansions stand For all the blood-bought race; And till we reach those seats of bliss, We'll sing no sweeter song than this— Salvation all of grace!

John Kent, 1803. (a.)

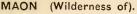
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Mark ii. 5. "Thy sins be forgiven thee."

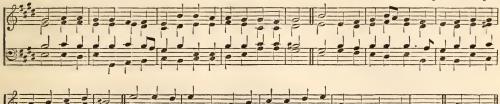
1 WHEN first, o'erwhelmed with sin and shame,
To Jesu's cross I trembling came,
Burdened with guilt and full of fear,
Yet drawn by love I ventured near,
I pardon found, and peace with God,
In Jesu's rich atoning blood.

Tune MAON. 88, 88, 88.

2 My sin is gone, my fears are o'er, I shun His presence now no more; He sits upon the throne of grace, He bids me boldly seek His face; For sprinkled on the throne of God I see that rich atoning blood.



TH. P. 229.1





- 3 Before His face my Priest appears, My Advocate the Father hears; That precious blood before His eyes, Both day and night, for mercy cries; It speaks, it ever speaks, to God— The voice of that atoning blood.
- 4 By faith that voice I also hear: It answers doubt, it stills each fear:

See Hymn 58.

The' accuser seeks in vain to move The wrath of Him whose name is love; Each charge against the sons of God Is silenced by the' atoning blood.

5 Here I can rest without a fear;
By this to God I now draw near;
By this, I triumph over sin,
For this has made and keeps me clean;
And when I reach the throne of God,
I'll praise that rich atoning blood!

James George Deck, 1847.

MELCOMBE.

[H. P. 24.]



(4) JUSTIFICATION.

685 Isa. lxi. 10. "He hath covered me with the robe of righteousness."

Tune Melcombe. L. M.

- JESUS, Thy blood and righteousness My beauty are, my glorious dress; 'Midst flaming worlds, in these arrayed, With joy shall I lift up my head.
- 2 When from the dust of death I rise, To take my mansion in the skies, E'en then shall this be all my plea, "Jesus hath lived and died for me."

- 3 Bold shall I stand in that great day, For who aught to my charge shall lay? While through Thy blood absolved I am From sin's tremendous curse and shame.
- 4 This spotless robe the same appears When ruined nature sinks in years; No age can change its glorious hue, The robe of Christ is ever new.
- 5 Oh! let the dead now hear Thy voice; Bid, Lord, Thy banished ones rejoice: Their beauty this, their glorious dress, Jesus, the Lord, our Righteousness! Count Zinzendorf, 1739; J. Wesley (tr.), 1740. (a.)

686 Gal. vi. 14. "God forbid that I should glory, save in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ."

Tune Melcombe. L. M.

- 1 No more, my God, I boast no more Of all the duties I have done; I quit the hopes I held before, To trust the merits of Thy Son.
- 2 Now for the love I bear His name, What was my gain I count my loss; My former pride I call my shame, And only glory in His cross.

See Hymns 173, 416, 417.

- 3 Yes, and I must and will esteem All things but loss for Jesu's sake: Oh! may my soul be found in Him, And of His righteousness partake!
- 4 The best obedience of my hands
 Dares not appear before Thy throne,
 But faith can answer Thy demiands,
 By pleading what my Lord has done!

 Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM.

(5) SANCTIFICATION.

687 Deut. xxx. 6. "The Lord thy God will circumcise thine heart . . . to love the Lord thy God."

> Tune St. Chrysostom. C. M. Or BEDFORD.

- 1 OH for a heart to praise my God, A heart from sin set free! A heart that always feels Thy blood, So freely shed for me.
- 2 A heart resigned, submissive, meek, My dear Redeemer's throne; Where only Christ is heard to speak, Where Jesus reigns alone:
- 3 A humble, lowly, contrite heart— Believing, true, and clean— Which neither life nor death can part From Him that dwells within:
- 4 A heart in every thought renewed, And full of love Divine;
 Perfect, and right, and pure, and good,
 A copy, Lord, of Thine!

See Hymns 346-378, 529-535.





5 Thy nature, gracious Lord, impart; Come quickly from above; Write Thy new name upon my heart, Thy new, best name of Love!

Charles Wesley, 1742.

[H. P. 53.]

FRENCH: or, DUNDEE.



(6) FELLOWSHIP WITH THE FATHER AND WITH THE SON.

688 Gen. v. 24. "Enoch walked with God."

WALK with thy God—a sinner walk With the almighty God! Yes, this may be my happy state, Brought nigh by Jesu's blood.

2 Walk then with God-in Christ He's mine, And I His own dear child; By faith I see the Father near, Holy, yet reconciled.

Tune French. C. M.

- 3 Walk then with God-be this each hour My privileged employ;
 O Holy Ghost, within me dwell,
 And ever give this joy.
- 4 Walk then with God, and patient wait, Till faith be changed for sight;
 Then shall I see God face to face,
 My portion, praise, delight!

Edward Bickersteth, 1833.

PERSIS.



689 1 John i. 3. "Truly our fellowship is with the Father, and with His Son Jesus Christ."

Tune Persis. 87, 87. Or FRANKFORT.

1 ALL unseen the Master walketh A By the toiling servant's side; Comfortable words He speaketh, While His hands uphold and guide.

- 2 Grief, nor pain, nor any sorrow Rends thy heart, to Him unknown; He to-day, and He to-morrow, Grace sufficient gives His own.
- 3 Holy strivings nerve and strengthen, Long endurance wins the crown: When the evening shadows lengthen, Thou shalt lay thy burden down!

Thomas Mackellar, 1853.

FELLOWSHIP WITH THE FATHER AND WITH THE SON. 690 Cant. i. 4. "Praw me, we will run EATON. [H. P. 313.] after Thee. Tune EATON. 88, 88, 88. 1 OH draw me, Saviour, after Thee, So shall I run and never tire; With gracious words still comfort me; Be Thou my hope, my sole desire; Free me from every weight; nor fear Nor sin shall come, if Thou art near. 2 In suffering be Thy love my peace, In weakness be Thy love my power; And when the storms of life shall cease, Jesus, in that important hour, In death, as life, be Thou my guide, And save me, who for me hast died! P. Gerhardt, 1666; J. Wesley (tr.), 1739 691 Col. iii. 2. "Set your affection on things Tune Bashan. 6 6, 6 6. 1 GO up, go up, my heart, Dwell with thy God above; For here thou canst not rest, Nor here give out thy love. BASHAN (Hill of). H. P. 112. 2 Go up, go up, my heart, 3 Let not thy love flow out 4 Waste not thy precious stores Be not a trifler here: To things so soiled and dim: Go up to heaven and God, On creature-love below; To God that wealth belongs Ascend above these clouds. Dwell in a higher sphere. Take up thy love to Him. On Him that wealth bestow! Horatius Bonar, D.D., 1856. LAODICEA. (HYMN CHANT.) [H. P. No. VIII.] 692 John vi. 63. "Lord, to whom shall we go?" Tune, Hymn Chant LAODICEA. 6666, 88, PART II.

I BRING my sins to Thee, The sins I cannot count, That all may cleansed be In Thy once opened Fount.

I bring them, Saviour, all to Thee,
The burden is too great for me.

My heart to Thee I bring, The heart I cannot read; A faithless, wandering thing, An evil heart indeed. I bring it, Saviour, now to Thee. That fixed and faithful it may be.

To Thee I bring my care, The care I cannot flee, Thou wilt not only share, But bear it all for me. O loving Saviour, now to Thee I bring the load that wearies me.

I bring my grief to Thee, The grief I cannot tell; No words shall needed be, Thou knowest all so well. I bring the sorrow laid on me. O suffering Saviour, now to Thee.

My joys to Thee I bring, The joys Thy love hath given, That each may be a wing To lift me nearer heaven.

I bring them, Saviour, all to Thee,
For Thou hast purchased all for me.

My life I bring to Thee,
 I would not be my own;
 O Saviour, let me be
 Thine ever, Thine alone.
My heart, my life, my all I bring
To Thee, my Saviour, and my King!
 Frances Ridley Havergal, 1870.

693 Sam. iii. 9. "Speak, Lord; for Thy servant heareth."

Tune Cassel. 87, 87, 77.

1 MASTER, speak! Thy servant heareth,
Longing for Thy gracious word,
Longing for Thy voice that cheereth:
Master, let it now be heard,
I am listening, Lord, for Thee;
What hast Thou to say to me?

2 Often through my heart is pealing Many another voice than Thine, Many an unwilled echo stealing From the walls of this Thy shrine. Let Thy longed for accents fall; Master, speak! and silence all.

Master, speak! I do not doubt Thee,
Though so tearfully I plead;
Saviour, Shepherd! oh. without Thee
Life would be a blank indeed,
But I long for fuller light,
Deeper love and clearer sight.

4 Master, speak! I kneel before Thee, Listening, longing, waiting still; Oh! how long shall I implore Thee This petition to fulfil! Hast Thou not one word for me? Must my prayer unanswered be?

5 Speak to me by name, O Master,
Let me know it is to me;
Speak, that I may follow faster,
With a step more firm and free,
Where the Shepherd leads the flock,
In the shadow of the rock!
Frances Ridley Havergal, 1867.

Matt. xvii. 8. "Jesus only."
Tune Cassel. 87,87,77. Or Succotil.

1 "JESUS only!" In the shadow
Of the cloud so chill and dim,

CASSEL. [H. P. 190.]

We are elinging, loving, trusting, He with us, and we with Him; All unseen, though ever nigh, "Jesus only!"—all our cry.

2 "Jesus only!" In the glory, When the shadows all are flown, Seeing Him in all His beauty, Satisfied with Him alone; May we join His ransomed throng, "Jesus only!"—all our song!

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1870.



2 In my joys may I rejoice
Only for Thee!
In my choices make my choice
Only for Thee!
Meekly may I suffer grief
Only for Thee!
Gratefully accept relief
Only for Thee!

3 Be my smiles and be my tears
Only for Thee!
Be my young and riper years
Only for Thee!
Be my peace and be my strife
Only for Thee!
Be my love and be my life
Only for Thee!

695 Phil. i. 21. "To me to live is Christ."
Tune ONESIMUS. 74, 74. D.
1 PRECIOUS Saviour, may I live
Only for Thee!
Spend the powers Thou dost give
Only for Thee!
Be my spirit's deep desire
Only for Thee!

May my intellect aspire Only for Thee!

4 Be my singing and my sighing
Only for Thee!
Be my sickness and my dying
Only for Thee!
Be my rising, be my glory
Only for Thee!
Be my whole eternity
Only for Thee!
Eliza Ann Walker, 1864.

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Acts xi. 23. "Exhorted them all, that . . . they would cleave unto the Lord."

Tune PYRMONT. 64, 64. D. OF STER

1 CLING to the Mighty One, Cling in thy grief; Cling to the Holy One, He gives relief; they would cleave unto the Lord."
64, 64. D.
Cling to the Gracious One,
Cling in thy pain;
Cling to the Faithful One,
He will sustain.



[bright,

The dawn draws nigh, the midnight shadows flee; Oh, what a sunrise will that Advent be!

6 Thus while I journey on, my Lord to meet,
My thoughts and meditations are so sweet
Of Him on whom I lean, my Strength, my Stay,
I can forget the sorrows of the way!

Mary Jane Deck, 1846,



698 John xxi. 17. "Lord, Thou knowest all things; Thou knowest that I love Thee." Tune Paran. 1111, 11 11 MY Saviour, I love Thee, I know Thou art mine! 3 I will love Thee in ife. I will love Thee in death

1 M Saviour, I love Thee, I know Thou art mine!
For Thee all the follies of sin I resign:
My gracious Redeemer, my Saviour art Thou:
If ever I loved Thee, my Saviour, 'tis now!

place;

tears-

The sunshine of my soul, than day more And my calm pillow of repose by night.

Thoughts of His sojourn in this vale of

The tale of love unfolded in those years Of sinless suffering and patient grace, I love again, and yet again, to trace.

4 Thoughts of His glory—on the cross I gaze, And there behold its sad yet healing rays; Beacon of hope, which, litted up on high, Illumes with heavenly light the tear-dimmed eye.

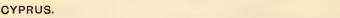
5 Thoughts of His coming; for that joyful day

In patient hope I watch, and wait, and pray;

2 I love Thee because Thou hast first loved me, And purchased my pardon on Calvary's tree; I love Thee for wearing the thorns on Thy brow; If ever I loved Thee, my Saviour, 'tis now! 3 I will love Thee in life, I will love Thee in death. And praise Thee as long as Thou lendest me breath; And say, when the death dew lies cold on my brow, If ever I loved Thee, my Saviour, 'tis now.

4 In mansions of glory and endless delight,
I'll ever adore Thee in heaven so bright;
I'll sing, with the glittering crown on my brow,
If ever I loved Thee, my Saviour, 'tis now!

London Hymn Book, 1864.





- 699 John vi. 68. "Lord, to whom shall we go?" Tune CYPRUS. L. M. Or MELCOMBE.
 - 1 JESUS, Thou joy of loving hearts!
 Thou Fount of life! Thou Light of men!
 From the best bliss that earth imparts, We turn unfilled to Thee again.
 - 2 Thy truth unchanged hath ever stood:
 Thou savest those that on Thee call:
 To them that seek Thee Thou art good,
 To them that find Thee, All in all!
- 3 We taste Thee, O Thou living Bread, And long to feast upon Thee still; We drink of Thee, the Fountain Head, And thirst our souls from Thee to fill.
- 4 Our restless spirits yearn for Thee, Where'er our changeful lot is cast; Glad, when Thy gracious smile we see; Blest, when our faith can hold Thee fast.
- 5 O Jesus, ever with us stay Make all our moments calm and bright; Chase the dark night of sin away; Shed o'er the world Thy holy light!

St. Bernard of Clairvaux, 1140; Ray Palmer, D.D. (tr.), 1834, 856

PENIEL. [H. P. 23.]

John xvii. 24. "With Me, where I am."

1 LET me be with Thee, where Thou art,

My Saviour, my eternal Rest!
Then only will this longing heart
Be fully and for ever blest.

2 Let me be with Thee, where Thou art, Thy unveiled glory to behold; Then surely will this wandering heart Cease to be faithless, treacherous, cold! Tune PENIEL. L. M.

- 3 Let me be with Thee, where Thou art, Where spotless saints Thy name adore; Then only will this sinful heart Be evil and defiled no more.
- 4 Let me be with Thee, where Thou art -Where none can die,—where none remove; Where life nor death my soul can part, From Thy blest presence and Thy love Charlotte Elliott, 1841.

GOLDBACH. (PART I.) [H. P. 130.]

[H. P. 26.]



"My spirit hath rejoiced in God my Luke i. 47. Saviour."

Tune Goldbach. (Part I.)

76, 76. 1 TO Thee, O dear, dear Saviour.

My spirit turns for rest; My peace is in Thy favour, My pillow on Thy breast.

2 Though all the world deceive me, I know that I am Thine, And Thou wilt never leave me, O blessèd Saviour mine!

3 O Thou whose mercy found me, From bondage set me free, And then for ever bound me With threefold cords to Thee,

4 Oh for a heart to love Thee More truly as I ought,
And nothing place above Thee,
In deed, or word, or thought.

5 Oh for that choicest blessing Of living in Thy love, And thus on earth possessing The peace of heaven above! John S. B. Monsell, LL.D., 1863.





Or SEIR.



Ps. xci. 2. "I will say of the Lord, He is my Refuge . . . in Him will I trust."

Tune Honidon. 77, 77. D.

JESU, Lover of my soul,
Let me to Thy bosom fly,
While the nearer waters roll,
While the tempest still is high.
Hide me, O my Saviour, hide,
Till the storm of life is past; Safe into the haven guide; Oh receive my soul at last!

2 Other refuge have I none; Hangs my helpless soul on Thee! Leave, ah, leave me not alone, Still support and comfort me! All my trust on Thee is stayed; All my help from Thee I bring; Cover my defenceless head With the shadow of Thy wing.

3 Thou, O Christ, art all I want; More than all in Thee I find: Raise the fallen, cheer the faint, Heal the sick, and lead the blind.

Just and holy is Thy name;

I am all unrighteousness:

Vile and full of sin I am:
Thou art full of truth and grace. 4 Plenteous grace with Thee is found,

Plenteous grace with Thee is found Grace to cover all my sin;
Let the healing streams abound;
Make and keep me pure within:
Thou of life the fountain art,
Freely let me take of Thee;
Spring Thou up within my heart,
Rise to all eternity!

Charles Wesley, 1740.

Or GOLDBACH.



John xv. 5. "Without Me ye can do nothing."

Tune Mahanaim. 76, 76. D. 1 I NEED Thee, precious Jesus!

My soul is dark and guilty.
My heart is dead within I need the cleansing fountain, Where I can always flee, The blood of Christ most precious, The sinner's perfect plea.

2 I need Thee, blessed Jesus! For I am very poor; A stranger and a pilgrim, I have no earthly store; I need the love of Jesus
To cheer me on my way,
To guide my doubting footsteps, To be my strength and stay.

3 I need Thee, blessed Jesus! I need a friend like Thee; A friend to soothe and pity, A friend to care for nie. I need the heart of Jesus To feel each anxious care, To tell my every trial, And all my sorrows share.

4 I need Thee, blessed Jesus! And hope to see Thee soon,
Encircled with the rainbow,
And seated on Thy throne:
There, with Thy blood-bought children,
My joy shall ever be
To sing Thy praise, Lord Jesus,
To gaze, my Lord, on Thee!

Frederick Whitfield, 1861.



Cant. i. 7. "O Thou whom my soul loveth." 76, 76. D. Tune Goldbach.

- ¹ IS it for me, dear Saviour, Thy glory and Thy rest? For me, so weak and sinful, Oh shall I thus be blessed? Is it for me to see Thee In all Thy glorious grace, And gaze in endless rapture On Thy beloved Face?
- 2 Is it for me to listen To Thy beloved voice,
- And hear its sweetest music
- Bid even me rejoice?
 Is it for me, Thy welcome,
 Thy gracious "Enter in"?
 For me, Thy "Come, ye blessed!"
 For me, so full of sin?
- 3 O Saviour, precious Saviour, My heart is at Thy feet,
 I bless Thee and I love Thee, And Thee I long to meet.
- A thrill of solemn gladness Has hushed my very heart, To think that I shall really Behold Thee as Thou art:
- 4 Behold Thee in Thy beauty,
 Behold Thee face to face;
 Behold Thee in Thy glory,
 And reap Thy smile of grace,
 And be with Thee for ever,
 And never grieve Thee more!
 Dear Saviour, I must praise Thee,
 And lovingly adore.

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1871.

[H. P. No. VI.]

SARDIS. (HYMN CHANT.)

Phil. iii. 10. "That I may know Him." Tune, Hymn Chant SARDIS. 10 10, 10 10.

- 1 ONE fervent wish, my God! it speaks the whole. And every longing of my weary soul; To know my Saviour is my one desire— The great high prize to which I most aspire.
- 2 To know Him in His depth of love to me, The poorest, weakest, vilest though I be, His lost one, whom He came to seek and save, His loved one, for whose life Himself He gave.
- 3 To know Him as my chiefest, dearest friend, Who loveth, and will love me to the end; Who feels my every pain, my griefs, my fears, Who tasted oft the bitterness of tears.

- 4 To know Him as my wise and skilful guide; A pilgrim I, yet safe with Him beside; The path to me untrodden heretofore, He knoweth well, who traced each step before.
- 5 To know Him as the "All in all" to me, All mine for time, all for eternity; And in each gift of providence and grace Himself in all His loveliness to trace.
- 6 To know Him as He sits at God's right hand, All things in heaven and earth at His command; All, all are His, and what are His are mine; Oh, what shall ever such rich grace outshine!
- 7 To know Him as earth's rightful King and Lord, Who soon shall claim His great and full reward; The travail of His soul He then shall see, And at His feet creation bow the knee!

Mary Shekleton, 1867.

706 Ps. cxlviii. 14. "A people near unto Him."

- 1 NEARER, my God, to Thee, Nearer to Thee! E'en though it be a cross That raiseth me; Still all my song shall be, Nearer, my God, to Thee-Nearer to Thee!"
- 2 Though like the wanderer, The sun gone down, Darkness be over me, My rest a stone;
 Yet in my dreams I'd be
 Nearer, my God, to Thee—
 Nearer to Thee!

64, 64, 664. Tune NIMRIM.

> 3 Then with my waking thoughts Bright with Thy praise, Out of my stony griefs Beth-El I'll raise: So through my woes to be Nearer, my God, to Thee— Nearer to Thee!

NIMRIM.

[H. P. 100.]



4 Or if on joyful wing Cleaving the sky, Sun, moon, and stars forgot, Upwards I fly: Still all my song shall be, Nearer, my God, to Thee— Nearer to Thee!

5 Christ alone beareth me
Where Thou dost shine;
Joint-heir He maketh me
Of the Divine:
In Christ my soul shall be
Nearest, my God, to Thee—
Nearest to Thee!

Sarah Fuller Adams, 1841; last verse by A. T. Russell, 1856.

EVAN I.

[H. P. 54.]



707 Cant. i. 3. "Thy name is as ountment poured forth."

Tune EVAN I. C. M.

- JESU, the very thought of Thee With sweetness fills my breast! But sweeter far Thy face to see, And in Thy presence rest.
- 2 No voice can sing, no heart can frame, Nor can the memory find A sweeter sound than Thy blest name, O Savjour of mankind!

- 3 O hope of every contrite heart!
 O joy of all the meek!
 To those who fall, how kind Thou art!
 How good to those who seek!
- 4 But what to those who find? Ah! this Nor tongue nor pen can show; The love of Jesus—what it is, None but His loved ones know.
- 5 Jesu! our only joy be Thou, As Thou our prize wilt be; Jesu! be Thou our glory now, And through eternity!

St. Bernard of Clairvaux, 1141.

EIRENE.

[H. P. 246.]



708 John xv. 10. "Ye shall abide in My love."
Tune EIRENE. 11 10, 11 10.

- 1 FATHER, abide with us! the storm-clouds gather In gloomy vengeance o'er the sinking head; Go with us through our pilgrimage, dear Father, Cheer with Thy smile the stormy path we tread.
- 2 Shepherd, abide with us! our souls are thirsting For life's pure waters that around Thee flow; Pity the spirits that with woe are bursting: Oh! lead us where the heavenly pastures grow.
- 3 Saviour, abide with us! we have been clinging
 To fragile reeds that droop and pass away!
 But now our souls, their clasping tendrils flinging
 Around Thy strength, ask Thee to be their stay.
- 4 Jesus, abide with us! our hearts are weary,
 And those who blessed us with their love are
 gone;
- Thou, always kind to the distressed and weary, Love us, O Jesus, as we journey on!

E. Clay's Collection, 1864.



(7) DIRECTION AND GUIDANCE.

"Thou shalt guide me with Thy counsel, and afterward receive me to glory." Ps. lxxiii. 24. Tune MAGDEBURG. Or LUSATIA. 87, 87, 87.

1 GUIDE me, O Thou great Jehovah, Pilgrim through this barren land; I arr weak, but Thou art mighty, Hold me with Thy powerful hand; Bread of heaven, Bread of heaven, Feed me now and evermore.

2 Open now the crystal fountain, Whence the healing stream doth flow, Let the fire and cloudy pillar Lead me all my journey through: Strong Deliverer, strong Deliverer, Be Thou still my strength and shield.

3 When I tread the verge of Jordan
Bid my anxious fears subside;
Death of deaths, and hell's destruction,
Land me safe on Canaan's side:
Songs of praises,
I will ever give to Thee.

4 Musing on my habitation,
Musing on my heavenly home,
Fills my soul with holy longings:
Come, my Jesus, quickly come.
Vanity is all I see;
Lord, I long to be with Thee!



712 Ps. cxix. 105. "Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path."

Tune MUNICH.

1 O WORD of God Incarnate,
O Wisdom from on high,
O Truth unchanged, unchanging,
O Light of our dark sky;
We praise Thee for the radiance
That from the hallowed page,

A lantern to our footsteps, Shines on from age to age. 2 The Church from her dear Master Received the gift Divine, 76, 76. D.

And still that light she lifteth O'er all the earth to shine. It is the golden casket

Where gems of truth are stored; It is the heaven-drawn picture Of Christ, the living Word.

3 It floateth like a banner Before God's host unfurled, It shineth like a beacon Above the darkling world; It is the chart and compass,
That o'er life's surging sea,
'Mid mists, and rocks, and quicksands.

William Williams, 1773.

Still guide, O Christ, to Thee. 4 Oh make Thy Church, dear Saviour, A lamp of burnished gold,

To bear before the nations
Thy true light as of old;
Oh teach Thy wandering pilgrims
By this their path to trace,
Till, clouds and darkness ended,

They see Thee face to face.

Bishop Wm. Walsham How, 1867.



Ps. xlviii. 14. "This God is our God for ever and ever; He will be our guide even unto death."

Tune ZAANAIM. 87, 87, 47.

1 WHY those fears? behold 'tis Jesus
Holds the helm and guides the ship;
Spread the sails, and catch the breezes
Sent to waft us through the deep
To the regions
Where the mourners cease to weep.

2 Led by Christ, we brave the ocean; Led by Him, the storm defy; Calm amidst tumultuous motion, Knowing that our Lord is nigh; Waves obey Him, And the storms before Him fly. 3 Rendered safe by His protection,
We shall pass the watery waste;
Trusting to His wise direction,
We shall gain the port at last!
And with wonder,
Think on toils and dangers past.

4 Oh! what pleasures there await us,
There the tempests cease to roar:
There it is that those who hate us
Can molest our peace no more:

Trouble ceases
On that tranquil, happy shore!
Thomas Kelly, 1809



Matt. xxviii. 20. "Lo, I am with you alway." Tune DIMON.

- OH! what a lonely path were ours, Could we, O Father, see No home of rest beyond it all, No guide or help in Thee.
- 2 But Thou art near and with us still, To keep us on the way
 That leads along this vale of tears
 To the bright world of day.

See Hymns 27, 733.

- 3 There shall Thy glory, O our God! Break fully on our view; And we, Thy saints, rejoice to find That all Thy word was true.
- 4 There Jesus, on His heavenly throne, Our wondering eyes shall see; While we the blest associates there Of all His joy shall be.
- 5 Sweet hope! we leave without a sigh A blighted world like this;
 To bear the cross, despise the shame,
 For all that weight of bliss! Sir Edward Denny, 1938.

(8) EVERLASTING LOVE.

Rom. v. 5. "The love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost."

Tune Kedron. 886. D.

1 O LOVE Divine, how sweet Thou art! When shall I find my willing heart All taken up by Thee? thirst, I faint, I die to prove

The greatness of redeeming love, The love of Christ to me! 2 Stronger His love than death or hell; Its riches are unsearchable: The first-born sons of light Desire in vain its depths to see; They cannot reach the mystery, The length, and breadth, and height.

3 God only knows the love of God: Oh that it now were shed abroad In this poor stony heart!
For love I sigh, for love I pine:
This only portion. Lord, be mine, Be mine this better part!

(Brook). KEDRON

[H. P. 213.]

4 Oh that I could for ever sit
With Mary at the Master's feet;
Be this my happy choice:
My only care, delight, and bliss, My joy, my heaven on earth, be this, To hear the Bridegroom's voice!

Charles Wesley, 1746.

PHILADELPHIA. (HYMN CHANT.)



Eph. iii. 19. "The love of Christ, which passeth knowledge."

Tune, Hymn Chant PHILADELPHIA. 10 10, 10 10, 4.

- 1 IT passeth knowledge, that dear love of Thine, My Jesus, Saviour; yet this soul of mine Would of Thy love, in all its breadth and length, Its height and depth, its everlasting strength, Know more and more.
- 2 It passeth telling, that dear love of Thine, My Jesus, Saviour; yet these lips of mine Would fain proclaim to sinners, far and near, A love which can remove all guilty fear, And love beget.
- 3 It passeth praises, that dear love of Thine, My Jesus, Saviour; yet this heart of mine Would sing that love, so full, so rich, so free, Which brings a rebel sinner, such as me, Nigh unto God.
- 4 But though I cannot sing, or tell, or know The fulness of Thy love while here below, My empty vessel I may freely bring: O Thou, who art of love the living spring, My vessel fill.
- 5 I am an empty vessel—not one thought, Or look of love, I ever to Thee brought: Yet I may come, and come again to Thee, With this, the empty sinner's only plea, Thou lovest me.

- 6 O fill me, Jesus, Saviour, with Thy love! Lead, lead me to the living Fount above; Thither may I, in simple faith, draw nigh, And never to another fountain fly, But unto Thee.
- 7 And when my Jesus face to face I see, When at His lofty throne I bow the knee; Then of His love, in all its breadth and length, Its height and depth, its everlasting strength,
 My soul shall sing! Mary Shekleton, 1833.



[H. P. 313.]

1 SWEET the theme of Jesu's love! Sweet the theme all themes above; Love unmerited and free

Our triumphant song shall be. 2 Love so vast that nought can bound; Love too deep for thought to sound; Love which made the Lord of all Drink the wormwood and the gall.

EATON.

Love which brought Him to the gloom Of the cold and darksome tomb.

4 Love which made Him hence arise Far above the starry skies; There with tender, loving care, All His people's griefs to share.

3 Love which led Him to the cross,

Bearing there unuttered loss:

5 Love which will not let Him rest Till His chosen all are blest; Till they all for whom He died Live rejoicing by His side!

Albert M. dlane, 1864, (a.)





1 John iv. 16. "God is love." Tune EATON. 88, 88, 88.

1 THOU hidden love of God, whose height, Whose depth unfathomed, no man knows:

I see from far Thy beauteous light, And inly sigh for Thy repose: My heart is pained, nor can it be At rest, till it find rest in Thee.

2 Is there a thing beneath the sun That strives with Thee my heart to share? Ah! tear it thence, and reign alone, The Lord of every motion there!
Then shall my heart from earth be free,
When it hath found repose in Thee.

3 Each moment draw from earth away My heart, that lowly waits Thy call; Speak to my inmost soul, and say, "I am thy Love, thy God, thy All!" To feel Thy power, to hear Thy voice, To taste Thy love, be all my choice! G. Tersteegen, 1731; J. Wesley (tr.), 1739

[H. P. 130.] GOLDBACH. (PART I.)

John xv. 16. "I have chosen you."

1 TIS not that I did choose Thee; This heart would still refuse Thee; But Thou hast chosen me:

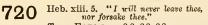
2 Thou from the sin that stained me Washed me and made me free, And to this end ordained me, That I should live to Thee.

Tune GOLDBACH. (Part I.) 76, 76,

3 'Twas sovereign mercy called me, And taught my opening mind: The world had else enthralled me, To heavenly glories blind.

4 My heart owns none above Thee;
For Thy rich grace I thirst;
This knowing, if I love Thee, Thou must have loved me first! Josiah Conder, 1856.





Tune EATON. 88, 88, 88.

1 STILL nigh me, O my Saviour, stand!
And guard in fierce temptation's hour,
Hide in the hollow of Thy hand,
Show forth in me Thy saving power;
Still be Thy arms my sure defence,
Nor earth nor hell shall pluck me thence.

2 What in Thy love possess I not?
My star by night, my sun by day;
My spring of life, when parched with
drought,

My wine to cheer, my bread to stay, My strength, my shield, my safe abode, My robe before the throne of God!

3 From all eternity, with love Unchangeable Thou hast me viewed; Ere knew this beating heart to move, Thy tender mercies me pursued— Ever with me may they abide, And close me in on every side.

4 In suffering be Thy love my peace, In weakness be Thy love my power; And when the storms of life shall cease, Jesus, in that important hour, In death as life be Thou my guide, And save me, who for me hast died!

EATON. H. P. 313.1

P. Gerhardt, after J. Arndt, 1666; J. Wesley (tr.), 1739-ver. 1, C. Wesley, 173).



1 Pet. v. 7. "He careth for you."

1 YES, for me, for me He careth With a brother's tender care: Yes, with me, with me He shareth Every burden, every fear.

2 Yes, o'er me, o'er me He watcheth-Ceaseless watcheth, night and day: Yes, e'en me, e'en me He snatcheth From the perils of the way.

3 Yes, for me He standeth pleading, At the mercy-seat above; Ever for me interceding,

Tune PERSIS. 87, 87. Or SOREK.

4 Yes, in me abroad He sheddeth Joys unearthly—love and light; And to cover me He spreadeth His paternal wing of might.

5 Yes, in me, in me He dwelleth— I in Him, and He in me! And my empty soul He filleth. Here and through eternity.

6 Thus I wait for His returning. Singing all the way to heaven; Such the joyful song of morning,

Such the tranquil song of even!

Horatius Bonar, D.D., 1844. Constant in untiring love.



Mal. i. 2. "I have loved you, saith the Lord."

1 HARK, my soul! it is the Lord; "Tis thy Saviour—hear His word; Jesus speaks, and speaks to thee: "Say, poor sinner, lov'st thou Me?"

2 "I delivered thee when bound, And, when bleeding, healed thy wound; Sought thee wandering, set thee right, Turned thy darkness into light.

Tune SHENIR II. 77, 77. Or VIENNA.

3 "Can a woman's tender care Cease toward the child she bare? Yes, she may forgetful be, Yet will I remember thee.

4 "Mine is an unchanging love, Higher than the heights above: Deeper than the depths beneath, Free and faithful, strong as death. 5 "Thou shalt see My glory soon, When the work of grace is done; Partner of My throne shalt be: Say, poor sinner, lov'st thou Me?"

6 Lord, it is my chief complaint, That my love is weak and faint: Yet I love Thee and adore— Oh for grace to love Thee more!

See Hymns 14, 17, 23, 117, 121-127, 189-194, 404, 407.

William Cowper, 1771.



723 1 John ii. 25. "The promise that He hath promised us, even eternal life." Tune Goldbach, Part I. 76, 76.

1 LORD JESUS! we believing In Thee have peace with God; Eternal life receiving, The purchase of Thy blood.

2 Our curse and condemnation Thou barest in our stead; Secure is our salvation In Thee, our risen Head.

3 The Holy Ghost, revealing Thy grace, hath given us rest,
Thy stripes have been our healing,
Thy love doth make us blest.

4 In Thee the Father sees us Accepted and complete; The blood from sin which frees us For glory makes us meet! Samuel Prideaux Tregelles, D.D., 1861.



ARISTARCHUS. TH. P. 224.

Isa. xlv. 17. "Saved in the Lord with an everlasting salvation."

Tune Aristarchus.

A DEBTOR to mercy alone, Of covenant mercy I sing; Nor fear, with Thy righteousness on, My person and offering to bring: The terrors of law, and of God, With me can have nothing to do:
My Saviour's obedience and blood
Hide all my transgressions from view.

2 The work which His goodness began, The arm of His strength will complete; His promise is Yea and Amen,

And never was forfeited yet:

Things future nor things that are now, Not all things below nor above, Can make Him His purpose forego, Or sever my soul from His love.

3 My name from the palms of His hands Eternity will not erase; Impressed on His heart it remains In marks of indelible grace: Yes, I to the end shall endure,

As sure as the earnest is given;
More happy, but not more secure,
The glorified spirits in heaven!

Augustus M. Toplady, 1771.

TRYPHENA. [H. P. 217.]

725 i. 6. "Accepted in the Beloved." Col. i. 28. "Perfect in Christ Jesus." Col. ii. 10. "Complete in Him." Tune TRYPHENA. 888.

¹ A CCEPTED, Perfect, and Complete, For God's inheritance made meet! How true, how glorious, and how sweet!

2 In the Beloved-by the King Accepted, though not anything But forfeit lives had we to bring. 3 And Perfect in Christ Jesus made, On Him our great transgressions laid, We in His righteousness arrayed.

Complete in Him, our glorious Head, With Jesus raised from the dead, And by His mighty Spirit led!

5 O blessed Lord, is this for me? Then let my whole life henceforth be One Alleluia-song to Thee!

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1870.



727 Phil. i. 6. "He which hath begun will perform."

But our Lord will save us from them all.

Tune Mizpeh. 6666,88.

MY distrustful heart,

O How small thy faith appears! But greater, Lord, Thou art Than all my doubts and fears: Did Jesus once upon me shine? Then Jesus is for ever mine.

2 Unchangeable His will,
Whatever be my frame;
His loving heart is still
Eternally the same:
My soul through many changes goes,
His love no variation knows.

Thou, Lord, wilt earry on,
And perfectly perform,
The work Thou hast begun
In me, a sinful worm:
'Midst all my fears, and sin, and woe,
Thy Spirit will not let me go.

Thy Spirit will not let me go.

4 Thy rich and sovereign grace
At first did freely move:

MIZPEH (Valley of).

[H. P. 53.]

We shall gain the presence of our God!

Thomas Kelly, 1804.

[H. P. 120.]

I still shall see Thy face, And feel that God is love: My soul into Thine arms I cast, I know I shall be saved at last!

I know I shall be saved at last!
William Hammond, 1745; Augustus M. Toplady, 1776.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM.

See Hymns 11, 12, 410, 411, 419-423.

728 Ps. xci. 1. "The secret place of the Most High."
St. Chrysostom. C. M. Or Gloucester.

1 THERE is a safe and secret place
Beneath the wings Divine,
Reserved for all the heirs of grace:
Oh, be that refuge mine!

2 The least, the feeblest there may hide Uninjured and unawed! While thousands fall on every side, He rests secure in God.

3 The angels watch him on his way, And aid with friendly arm; And Satan, roaring for his prey, May hate, but cannot harm.

4 He feeds in pastures large and fair, Of love and truth Divine: O child of God, O glory's heir, How rich a lot is thine!

5 A hand almighty to defend,
An ear for every call,
An honoured life, a peaceful end,
And heaven to crown it all!

Henry Francis Lyte, 1831,

John xiii. 1, "He loved them unto the end," To

1 IF ever it could come to pass
That sheep of Christ might fall away,
My fickle, feeble soul, alas!
Would fall a thousand times a day;
Were not Thy love as firm as free,
Thou soon wouldst take it, Lord, from me.

Tune MAON. 88, 88, 88.
2 I on Thy promises depend
(At least I to depend desire)
That Thou wilt love me to the end,
Be with me in temptation's fire.
Wilt for me work, and in me too,
And guide me right, and bring me through.

3 No other stay have I beside; If these can alter, I must fall:
I look to Thee to be supplied
With life, with will, with power, with all: Rich souls may glory in their store, But Jesus will relieve the poor!

Joseph Hart, 1759.

Rom. viii. 37. "More than conquerors through Him that loved us."

Tune NOTTINGHAM. C. M. Or WINTON.

- 1 REJOICE, believer, in the Lord, Who makes your cause His own; The hope that's built upon His word Can ne'er be overthrown.
- 2 Though many foes beset your road, And feeble is your arm, Your life is hid with Christ in God, Beyond the reach of harm.
- 3 Weak as you are, you shall not faint; Or fainting shall not die; Jesus, the strength of every saint, Will aid you from on high.



NOTTINGHAM; or, ST. MAGNUS.



4 Though sometimes unperceived by sense. Faith sees Him always near, A guide, a glory, a defence; Then what have you to fear?

5 As surely as He overcame, And triumphed once for you: So surely you that love His Lame Shall triumph in Him too! Joln Newton, 1779.

731 Josh. i. 5. "I will not fail thee, nor forcake thee." Tune Sternberg. 11 10, 11 10.

1 PILGRIM of earth, who art journeying to heaven! Heir of eternal life! child of the day! Cared for, watched over, beloved and forgiven, Art thou discouraged because of the way?

2 Cared for, watched over, though often thou seemest Justly forsaken, nor counted "a child"— Loved and forgiven, though rightly thou deemest Thyself all unlovely, impure, and defiled.

3 Weary and thirsty, no waterbrook near thee, Press on, nor faint at the length of the way; God in His grace will assuredly hear thee: He will provide thee with strength for the day. 4 Break through the brambles and briers that

obstruct thee; Dread not the gloom or the blackness of night; Lean on the Hand that will safely conduct thee; Trust to His eye to whom darkness is light!

5 Trustful, and steadfast, whatever betide thee, "One" thing alone do thou ask of the Lord— "Grace" to go forward, wherever He guide thee, Simply believing the truth of His word!

6 Still on thy spirit deep anguish is pressing-Not for the yoke that His wisdom bestows;
A heavier burden thy soul is distressing,
A heart that is slow in His love to repose.

7 Earthliness, coldness, unthankful behaviour: Oh! thou may'st sorrow, but do not despair: Even this grief thou may'st bring to thy Saviour, Cast upon Him e'en this burden and care.



8 Bring all thy hardness; His power can subdue it; Full is the promise! the blessing how free!

"All that ye ask in My name, I will do it: "Rest in My love, and be joyful in Me!" Ryle's "Hymns for the Church on Earth," 1800. (a.)



732 Ps. lvi. 3. "What time I am afraid, I will trust in Thee."

Above my soul's dark waters His Spirit hovers still He guards me from all sorrow, from terror and from ill:

1 TS God for me? I fear not, though all against me I call on Christ my Saviour, the host of evil flies;

In me He works, and blesses the life seed He has sown

My Friend—the Lord Almighty, and He who loves me—God, What enemy shall harm me, though coming as a

From Him I learn the "Abba," that prayer of faith alone.

flood? I know it, I believe it, I say it fearlessly, That God, the Highest, Mightiest, for ever loveth

3 No angel and no heaven, no throne nor power nor might,

No love, no tribulation, no danger, fear nor fight, No height, no depth, no creature that has been or can be, Can drive me from Thy bosom, can sever me from My heart in joy upleapeth, grief cannot linger there, While singing high in glory amidst the sunshine

At all times, in all places, He standeth at my side! He rules the battle fury, the tempest, and the tide. 2 There is no condemnation, there is no hell for me,

fair; The sun that shines upon me is Jesus and His love;

The torment and the fire my eyes shall never see; For me there is no sentence, for me has death no sting, Because the Lord who loves me shall shield me

The fountain of my singing is deep in heaven above! Paul Gerhardt, 1659; Frances Shuttleworth (tr.), 1854.

733 Ps. lxxviii. 53. "He led them on safel 1."

Tune St. WERBERGH. 87. 87. 47. Or HAVILAH.

1 SAVIOUR! through the desert lead us; Without Thee we cannot go: Thou from cruel chains hast freed us, Thou hast laid the tyrant low:

with His wing!

Let Thy presence Cheer us all our journey through. 2 With a price Thy love has bought us; Saviour! what a love is Thine!

Hitherto Thy power has brought us—Power and love in Thee combine!
Lord of glory!
Ever on Thy household shine.

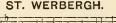
3 Through a desert waste and cheerless Though our destined journey lie, Rendered by Thy presence fearless, We may every foe defy: Nought shall move us,

While we see our Saviour nigh. 4 When we halt (no track discovering),

Fearful lest we go astray, O'er our path Thy pillar hovering, Fire by night and cloud by day, Shall direct us:

Then we shall not miss our way. 5 When we hunger. Thou wilt feed us, Manna shall our camp surround; Faint and thirsty, Thou wilt heed us, Streams shall from the rock abound:

Happy Israel! What a Saviour thou hast found!



TH. P. 304.7







Thomas Kelly, 1804.



(11) EVERLASTING SALVATION.

734 Isa. xlv. 17. "Saved in the Lord with an everlasting salvation." Tune LINUS. 1515, 1515. Or ESDRAELON.

1 OH what everlasting blessings God outpoureth on His own! Ours by promise true and faithful, spoken from the'

eternal throne; Ours by His eternal purpose ere the universe had

place: Ours by everlasting covenant, ours by free and royal grace.

2 With salvation everlasting He shall save us, He

shall bless With the largess of Messiah, everlasting righteousness:

Ours the everlasting mercy all His wondrous deal-

ings prove; Ours His everlasting kindness, fruit of everlasting love.

3 In the Lord Jehovah trusting, everlasting strength have we:

He Himself, our Sun, our Glory, Everlasting Light shall be; Everlasting life is ours, purchased by The Life laid

down; And our heads, oft bowed and weary, everlasting joy shall crown.

4 We shall dwell with Christ for ever, when the shadows flee away,
In the everlasting glory of the everlasting day.
Unto Thee, beloved raviour, everlasting thanks be-

Everlasting adoration, everlasting laud and song! Frances Ridley Havergal, 1871.

PHILADELPHIA. (HYMN CHANT.) (H. P. VII.)

III .- Talents Improbed.

TIME.

735 Eccles, ix. 10. "There is no work the grave, whither thou goest."

Tune, Hymn Chant PHILADELPHIA, 66, 86, 6.

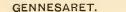
1 MAKE haste, O man, to live. For thou so soon must die: Time hurries past thee like the breeze— How swift its moments fly! Make haste, O man, to live

2 Make haste, O man, to do Whatever must be done! Thou hast no time to lose in sloth,
Thy day will soon be gone:
Make haste, O man, to live, 3 Up then, with speed, and work; Fling ease and self away; This is no time for thee to sleep, Up, watch, and work, and pray! Make haste, O man, to live.

4 The useful, not the great The thing that never dies, The silent toil that is not lost: Set these before thine eyes: Make haste, O man, to live.

5 Make haste, O man, to live, Thy time is almost o'er; Oh sleep not, dream not, but arise, The Judge is at the door: Make haste, O man, to live!

Horatius Bonar, D.D., 1857.



[H. P. 17.]



(2) TONGUE.

736 Ps. cxli. 3. "Keep the door of my lips."

- ¹ GUARD well thy lips; none, none can know What evil from the tongue may flow; What guilt, what grief may be incurred, By one incautious, hasty word.
- 2 Be "slow to speak"; look well within, To check what there may lead to sin; And pray unceasingly for aid, Lest unawares thou be betrayed.
- 3 "Condemn not, judge not"—not to man Is given his brother's faults to scan; One task is thine, and one alone— To search out and subdue thine own.
- 4 Indulge no murmurings; oh, restrain Those lips so ready to complain; And, if they can be numbered, count of one day's mercies the amount.

Tune GENNESARET. L. M. Or HERMON.

- 5 Shun vain discussions, trifling themes; Dwell not on earthly hopes or schemes; Let words of wisdom, meekness, love, Thy heart's true renovation prove.
- 6 Set God before thee; every word Thy lips pronounce by Him is heard; Oh! couldst thou realize this thought, What care, what caution would be taught!
- 7 Think on thy parting hour: ere long The approach of death may chain thy tongue, And powerless all attempts be found To articulate one meaning sound.
- 8 "The time is short"—this day may be
 The very last assigned to thee:
 So speak, that shouldst thou ne'er speak more,
 Thou may'st not this day's words deplore!

Charlotte Elliott, 1839.

EVAN I.

[H. P. 54.]



737 2 Cor. x. 1. "I beseech you by the meekness and gentleness of Christ."

Tune Evan I. C. M.

- 1 SPEAK gently, it is better far To rule by love than fear; Speak gently, let not harsh word mar The good we might do here.
- 2 Speak gently, love should whisper low To friends when faults we find; Gently let truthful accents flow: Affection's voice is kind,
- 3 Speak gently to the young, for they Will have enough to bear; Pass through this life as best they may, 'Tis full of anxious care.

See Hymns 547, 556, 587, 970.

- 4 Speak gently to the aged one, Grieve not the careworn heart; The sands of life are nearly run, Let such in peace depart.
- 5 Speak gently, kindly, to the poor, Let no harsh tones be heard; They have enough they must endure, Without an unkind word.
- 6 Speak gently to the erring, know
 That thou thyself art vain;
 Perchance unkindness made them so,
 Oh, win them back again.
- 7 Speak gently, for 'tis like the Lord, Whose accents, meek and mild, Bespoke Him as the Son of God, The gracious Holy Child!

George Washington Hangford, 1817.

6. Ireland

(3) INFLUENCE.

738 Rom. xiv. 7. "None of us liveth to himself."
Tune, Hymn Chant EPHESUS. C. M.
Or BRISTOL.

- 1 THE glorious universe around, The heavens with all their train, Sun, moon, and stars, are firmly bound, In one mysterious chain.
- 2 God, in creation, thus displays His wisdom and His might! While all His works with all His ways Harmoniously unite.
- 3 In one fraternal bond of love, One fellowship of mind. The saints below and saints above Their bliss and glory find.



4 Here, in their house of pilgrimage, Thy statutes are their song: There, through one bright eternal age, Thy praises they prolong.

See Hymn 970.

5 Lord, may our union form a part Of that thrice happy whole; Derive its pulse from Thee the heart, Its life from Thee the soul!

James Montgomery, 1825.



(4) WEALTH.

1 Chron. xxix. 14. "All things come of Thee, and of Thine own have we given Thee." 739 Tune Culbach. 87, 87.

1 WITH my substance I will honour Were ten thousand worlds my manor All were nothing to His word.

2 While the heralds of salvation His abounding grace proclaim, Let His friends of every station Gladly join to spread His fame. 3 Be His kingdom now promoted, Let the earth her Monarch know; Be my all to Him devoted, To my Lord my all I owe.

4 Praise the Saviour, all ye nations; Praise Him, all ye hosts above; Shout, with joyful acclamations, His Divine, victorious love!

Benjamin Francis, 1787.



740 Luke vi. 40. "The disciple is not above his Master."

Tune St. Barnabas II. 86, 86, 88. Or Lebanon.

AS much have I of worldly good As e'er my Master had; I diet on as dainty food, And am as richly clad, Though plain my garb, though scant my As Mary's Son and nature's Lord.

The manger was His infant bed, His home the mountain cave: He had not where to lay His head, He borrowed e'en His grave; Earth yielded Him no resting spot— Her Maker! but she knew Him not.

As much the world's good-will I share, Its favour and applause, As He whose blessed name I bear, Hated without a cause, Despised, rejected, mocked by pride, Betrayed, forsaken, crucified.

Why should I court my Master's foe?
Why should I fear its frown?
Why should I seek for rest below,
Or sigh for brief renown?
A pilgrim to a better land,
A phoir of iow at God's right hand! An heir of joy at God's right hand!

Josiah Conder, 1824.

ST. ANN. [H. P. 52.]

IV .- Duties Auffilled.

(1) SOCIAL AND RELATIVE.

741 Ps. exxxiii. 1. "How good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity."

Tune St. Ann.

¹ H^{OW} sweet, how heavenly is the sight, When those that love the Lord In one another's peace delight, And so fulfil His word!

When each can feel his brother's sigh, And with him bear a part; When sorrow flows from eye to eye, And joy from heart to heart;

- 3 When free from envy, scorn, and pride, Our wishes all above, Each can his brother's failings hide. And show a brother's love;
- 4 When love, in one delightful stream, Through every bosom flows, When union sweet and kind esteem In every action glows.
- 5 Love is the golden chain that binds The happy souls above;
 And he's an heir of heaven that finds
 His bosom glow with love! Joseph Swain, 1792.

Rom. xiii. 7. "Render therefore to all their dues."

Tune MEROM. 887. D.

1 CHRISTIANS, in your several stations, Dutiful to all relations, Give to each his proper due; Let not their unkind behaviour Make you disobey your Saviour; Be His word the rule for you!

2 Parents, be to children tender: Children, full obedience render To your parents in the Lord; Never slight nor disrespect them; Nor, through pride, when old, reject them; "Tis the precept of His word.

3 Wives, to husbands yield subjection; Husbands, with a kind affection Cherish as yourselves your wives;
Masters, rule with moderation,
Swayed by justice, not by passion:
By the Scriptures guide your lives.

4 Servants, serve your masters truly, Not unfaithful nor unruly, To the good, nor to the bad; Not replying when corrected, Nor refusing aught suggested; 'Tis the ordinance of God.

5 Thus you solve the important question. Am I now indeed a Christian? Better far than fancy's dream;

See Humns 589, 592.



Better far than lip expression, Lofty words, and great profession: Thus you prove your love to Him! Joseph Hart, 1759, (a.)

(2) CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP.

Luke xxiv. 15. "While they communed together and reasoned, Jesus Himself drew near," 743 Tune Cyprus. L. M. D.

1 IT is a practice greatly blessed To speak, Lord Jesu Christ, of Thee; Thou art amongst us as a guest, We feel it, though we cannot see:
We seem to breathe, in glad surprise,
An atmosphere of love and bliss,
And read, within each other's eyes,
To whom it is we owe all this.

2 How quickly strife and envy end, How soon all idle griefs depart, When friend takes counsel thus with friend, When soul meets soul and heart meets heart: We have so many things to say, So many failings to confess,
Time flies, alas! so soon away,
We cannot half we would express.



3 How fain would we repeat again
The touching tale of God's dear Son,
His faithfulness and love to men,
And the great things which He hath done;
How He first touched our heart and feelings
By joy and grief's alternate sway,
And led us by His gracious dealings
In safety to this very day.

4 Oh let us then, dear Lord, be blest
With Thy sweet presence every day,
Be with us as our daily guest,
And our companion on the way;
Fan our devotion's feeble flame,
Let us press on to things before,
Bring us together in Thy name,
Until we meet to part no more!
C. J. P. Spitta, 1833; R. Massie (tr.), 1860.

TALLIS'S ORDINAL

[H. P. 44.]



(3) MUTUAL FORBEARANCE.

744 Rom. xii. 5. "One body in Christ, and every one members one of another." Tune Tallis. C. M. Or Winchester.

1 LET party names no more be known Among the ransomed throng; For Jesus claims them for His own, To Him they all belong.

2 One in their covenant Head and King, They should be one in heart: Of one salvation all should sing, Each claiming his own part. 3 One bread, one family, one rock, One building, formed by love, One fold, one Shepherd, yea, one flock, They shall be one above.

4 One city, ruled by laws Divine, "Peace be within her walls"; Zion shall in full glory shine, When Satan's empire falls!

Joseph Irons, 1825.

745 1 John iv. 7. "Beloved, let us love one another."

Tune CASSEL. 87, 87, 77.

1 BRETHREN, called by one vocation,
Members of one family,
Heirs through Christ of one salvation,
Let us live in harmony;
Nor by strife Embitter life,
Journeying to eternity.

2 In a land where all are strangers
And our sojourning so short,
In the midst of common dangers,
Concord is our best support:
Heart with heart Divides the smart,
Lightens grief of every sort.

3 Let us shun all vain contention
Touching words and outward things,
Whence, alas! so much dissension
And such bitter rancour springs;
Troubles cease, Where Christ brings peace
And sweet healing on His wings.

4 Judge not hastily of others, But thine own salvation mind; Nor be lynx-eyed to thy brother's, To thine own offences blind; God alone Discerns thine own, And the hearts of all mankind.

5 Let it be our chief endeavour, That we may the Lord obey, See Hymn 214.



Then shall envy cease for ever, And all hate be done away: Free from strife Shall be his life Who serves God both night and day. C. J. P. Spitta, 1833; R. Massie (tr.), 1860.



(4) SAINTS AND MARTYRS-THEIR HOLY EXAMPLE. THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY.

746 Luke xi. 23. "Yea rather, blessed are they that hear the word of God, and keep it."

Tune Hermon. L. M.

- 1 A GE after age has called thee blessed, Yet none have fathomed all thy bilss; Mothers, who read the secret best, Or angels—yet its depths must miss.
- 2 To dwell at home with Him for years, And prove His filial love thine own; In all a mother's tender cares To serve thy Saviour in thy Son:
- 3 To see before thee day by day
 That perfect light expand and shine,
 And learn by sight, as angels may,
 All that is holy and Divine:
- 4 The measure of a blessedness, Yet by that measure unexpressed: Sealing the mother's joy with "Yes," The Christian's with His "rather blessed." Elizabeth Charles, 1800,



SAINTS.

747 Rev. xv. 3. "Just and true are Thy ways, Thou King of saints."

Tune Goldbach. 76, 76. D.

1 FROM all Thy saints in warfare, for all Thy saints at rest,
To Thee, O blessed Jesus, all praises be addressed.

To Thee, O blessed Jesus, all praises be addressed. Thou, Lord, didst win the battle that they might conquerors be: Their crowns of living glory are lit with rays from

Thee.

(Insert here the stanza for the special Saint's Day to be celebrated.)

SAINT ANDREW.

2 Praise, Lord, for Thine apostle, the first to welcome

The first to lead his brother the very Christ to see.

With hearts for Thee made ready, watch we

throughout the year,
Forward to lead our brethren to own Thine
Advent near.

SAINT THOMAS.

3 All praise for Thine apostle, whose short-lived doubtings prove
Thy perfect two-fold nature, the fulness of Thy

love.
On all who wait Thy coming shed forth Thy peace, O Lord,
And grant us faith to know Thee, true Man, true God, adored.

SAINT STEPHEN.

4 Praise for the first of martyrs, who saw Thee ready stand.

To aid in midst of torment, to plead at God's right hand.

Share we with him, if summoned by death our Lord to own,
On earth the faithful witness, in heaven the

On earth the faithful witness, in heaven the martyr-crown.

SAINT JOHN THE EVANGELIST.

5 Praise for the loved disciple, exile on Patmos' shore: Praise for the faithful record he to Thy Godhead

bore; Praise for the mystic vision, through him to us

revealed:

May we, in patience waiting, with Thine elect be sealed.

THE INNOCENTS' DAY.

6 Praise for Thine infant martyrs, by Thee with tenderest love Called early from the warfare to share the rest

above.

Rachel, cease thy weeping; they rest from pains and cares; Lord, grant us hearts as guileless, and crowns as bright as theirs.

THE CONVERSION OF SAINT PAUL.

7 Praise for the light from heaven, praise for the

voice of awe,
Praise for the glorious vision the persecutor saw; Thee, Lord, for his conversion we glorify to-day; So lighten all our darkness with Thy true Spirit's ray.

SAINT MATTHIAS.

8 Lord, Thine abiding presence directs the wondrous choice:

For one in place of Judas the faithful now rejoice. Thy church from false apostles for evermore defend. And by Thy parting promise be with her to the

SAINT MARK.

9 For him, O Lord, we praise Thee, the weak by grace made strong,
Whose labours and whose Gospel enrich our triumph-song.

May we in all our weakness find strength from

Thee supplied,

And all, as fruitful branches, in Thee, the Vine, abide.

end.

SAINT PHILIP AND SAINT JAMES.

10 All praise for Thine apostle, blessed guide to Greek and Jew,

And him surnamed Thy brother: keep us Thy brethren true:

And grant the grace to know Thee, the Way, the Truth, the Life;

To wrestle with temptations till victors in the strife.

SAINT BARNABAS.

11 The son of consolation, moved by Thy law of love, Forsaking earthly treasures, sought riches from above.

As earth now teems with increase, let gifts of grace descend,

That Thy true consolations may through the world

extend.

SAINT JOHN BAPTIST.

12 We praise Thee for the Baptist, forerunner of the Word,

Our true Elias, making a highway for the Lord. Of prophets last and greatest, he saw Thy dawning ray.

Make us the rather blessed, who love Thy glorious day.

SAINT PETER. 13 Praise for Thy great apostle, the eager and the

bold; Thrice falling, yet repentant, thrice charged to feed Thy fold. Lord, make Thy pastors faithful, to guard their

flocks from ill; And grant them dauntless courage, with humble carnest will.

SAINT JAMES.

14 For him, O Lord, we praise Thee, who, slain by Herod's sword, Drank of Thy cup of suffering, fulfilling thus Thy word.

Curb we all vain impatience to read Thy veiled decree!

And count it joy to suffer, if so brought nearer Thee.

SAINT BARTHOLOMEW.

15 All praise for Thine apostle, the faithful, pure. and true, Whom, underneath the fig-tree, Thine eye all-

seeing knew. Like him may we be guileless, true Israelites in-

deed; That Thine abiding presence our longing souls may feed.

SAINT MATTHEW.

16 Praise, Lord, for him whose Gospel Thy human life declared,

Who, worldly gains forsaking, Thy path of suffering shared.

From all unrighteous mammon, oh! give us hearts set free, at we, whate'er our calling, may rise and

That we, wha follow Thee.

SAINT LUKE.

17 For that beloved physician, all praise, whose Gospel shows The Healer of the nations, the Sharer of our woes. Thy wine and oil, O Saviour, on bruised hearts

deign to pour,

And with true balm of Gilead anoint us evermore.

SAINT SIMON AND SAINT JUDE.

18 Praise, Lord, for Thine apostles, who sealed their faith to-day;

One love, one zeal impelled them to tread the sacred way. May we with zeal as earnest the faith of Christ

maintain, And, bound in love as brethren, at length Thy rest attain.

GENERAL ENDING.

19 Apostles, Prophets, Martyrs, and all the sacred throng,

Who wear the spotless raiment, who raise the ceaseless song! For these passed on before us, Saviour, we Thee

adore,

And, walking in their footsteps, would serve Thee more and more.

20 Then praise we God the Father, and praise we God the Son.

And God the Holy Spirit, eternal Three in One: Till all the ransomed number fall down before the throne,

And honour, power, and glory ascribe to God alone! Amen. Earl Nelson, 1867.



One hallowed day is set apart
For deep communion, holy mirth,
And mystic unity of heart:
One brotherhood of love unites.
Which neither time nor death can sever;

One song is sung, one joy delights The family of God for ever.

2 What shining ranks around God's throne! Confessors, martyrs, patriarchs, seers, Gathered from every clime and zone, Since the world's infancy of years: Blood-bought, and clothed in robes of white, Victors who sing the victor's song; For ever with the saints in light,

And earth and heaven in concert meet: O grand and universal lay! O heavenly song of songs complete! Salvation, honour, glory, praise,
From saints below and saints on high: The Alleluia chorus raise
To Christ through all eternity.

4 One throbbing heart, one burning love, Cements Christ's lovers to each other; All have their common home above, And all in Christ an elder Brother:

And soon-no more to weep or roam, No wanderer lost—with palm and crown, God's family shall meet at home,

And in their Father's house sit down! Benjamin Gough, 1865.

[H. P. No. VI.]

SARDIS. (HYMN CHANT.)

Their bliss ineffable prolong.

Heb. xii. 1. "So great a cloud of witnesses."

FOR all Thy saints, who from their labours rest, Who Thee by faith before the world confessed, Thy name, O Jesu, be for ever blessed. Alleluia!

2 Thou wast their rock, their fortress, and their might; Thou, Lord, their Captain in the well-fought fight; Thou in the darkness drear their one true light. Alleluia!

3 O may Thy soldiers, faithful, true, and bold, Fight as the saints who nobly fought of old, And win with them the victor's crown of gold. Alleluia!

4 O pure communion, fellowship Divine! We feebly struggle, they in glory shine; Yet all are one in Thee, for all are Thine. Alleluia! See Hymns 437-440.

Tune, Hymn Chant SARDIS. 10 10 10, 4.

5 And when the strife is fierce, the warfare long, Steals on the ear the distant triumph-song, And hearts are brave again, and arms are strong.

6 The golden evening brightens in the west: Soon, soon to faithful warriors cometh rest; Sweet is the calm of Paradise the blest.

7 But lo, there breaks a yet more glorious day:
The saints triumphant rise in bright array: The King of glory passes on His way. Alleluia!

8 From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast, Through gates of pearl streams in the countless Singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia! Bishop William Walsham How, 1867.



THE NOBLE ARMY OF MARTYRS. 750 Rev. xiv. 4. "The first-fruits unto God and to the Lamb."
Tune SAMARIA. 77, 77. D. Or KADESH.

1 HOLY Jesus, mighty Lord, Light of light, incarnate Word, Who didst take our fleshly dress In an infant's helplessness, And didst pass to manhood's stage, Consecrating every age; Thou from whom all graces fall; Be Thou worshipped, Lord, by all.

Planets, as their race they run, Drink their radiance from the sun: Saints derive their holiness Saints derive their notiness From the Sun of Righteousness; He lit up Saint Stephen's face, [grace, Crowned Saint John's old age with Gilded life's first lineaments In the Holy Innocents. 3 At Thy birth, incarnate Lord, They were slain by Herod's sword; But they, Lord, who for Thee died, By Thy birth were glorified; Thou, an infant born, didst give Life by which they dying live; Thou didst love them as Thine own, Thou didst set them near Thy throne.

4 Some, like Stephen, for Thee bleed, Martyrs both in will and deed! Some, like John, Thy law fulfil By the martyrdom of will; Others yield their life-blood's price An unconscious sacrifice!



Thou, the Fountain of all lights, Shinest in all Thy satellites. 5 Thou, who givest infants breath,

Didst them beautify by death; Thou hast woven in Thy crown These sweet flowers of spring unblown:

Whatsoe'er resists Thy will; Make us, blessed Lord, to be Infants in simplicity!

Bp. Christ. Wordsworth, 1862.





751 Rev. xiv. 5. "They are without fault before the throne of God." Tune FRANCONIA. S. M.

1 GLORY to Thee, O Lord! Who from this world of sin, By the fierce Herod's ruthless sword,

Those precious ones didst win!

2 Glory to Thee, O Lord!
For now, all grief unknown,
They wait in patience their reward, The martyr's heavenly crown!

3 Baptized in their own blood, Earth's untried perils o'er, They passed unconsciously the flood, And safely gained the shore.

4 Glory to Thee for all The ransomed infant band Who since that hour have heard Thy call And reached the quiet land!

5 Oh that our hearts within Were innocent and bright: Oh that, as free from wilful sin, We shrunk not from Thy sight!

6 Lord, help us every hour Thy cleansing grace to share; In life to glorify Thy power, In death Thy praise declare.

7 All praise, while ages run, To Father ever blest, To Spirit, and eternal Son, In flesh made manifest! Emma Toke, 1852.

OLD 81st.

[H. P. 75.]



752 Rev. xii. 11. "They loved not their lives unto the death."

C. M. D. Tune OLD EIGHTY-FIRST.

1 THE Son of God goes forth to war, A kingly crown to gain; His blood-red banner streams afar: Who follows in His train? Who best can drink his cup of wcc, Triumphant over pain, Who patient bears his cross below, He follows in His train.

2 The martyr first, whose eagle eye Could pierce beyond the grave;
Who saw his Master in the sky,
And called on Him to save.
Like Him, with pardon on his tongue,
In midst of mortal pain,
He prayed for them that did the wrong:
Who field we in his table. Who follows in his train?

Who follows in their train? 4 A noble army, men and boys, The matron and the maid, Around the Saviour's throne rejoice, In robes of light arrayed. They climbed the steep ascent of heaven, Through peril, toil, and pain: O God! to us may grace be given

3 A glorious band, the chosen few, On whom the Spirit came; Twelve valiant saints, their hope they knew, And mocked the cross and flame.

They met the tyrant's brandished steel,
The lion's gory mane;
They bowed their necks the death to feel:

To follow in their train! Bishop Hcber, 1927.



Heb. i. 14. "Are they not all ministering spirits?"

1 THEY are evermore around us. Though unseen to mortal sight, In the golden hour of sunshine, And in sorrow's starless night. Deepening earth's most sacred pleasures With the peace of sin forgiven, Whispering to the lonely mourner Of the painless joys of heaven.

2 Lovingly they come to help us When our faith is cold and weak, Guiding us along the pathway To the blessed home we seek.

Tune LINUS. 87, 87. Or EVERTON.

In our hearts we hear their voices. Breathing sympathy and love: Echoes of the spirit language In the sinless world above.

3 They are with us in the conflict, With their words of hope and cheer, When the foe of our salvation And his armed hosts draw near. And a greater One is with us,
And we shrink not from the strife. While the Lord of angels leads us On the battle-field of life! James Drummond Burns, 1858.

SALISBURY.

[H. P. 62.]



754 Ps. xci. 11. "He shall give His angels charge over thee."

INCARNATE God, the soul that knows Thy name's mysterious power Shall dwell in undisturbed repose, Nor fear the trying hour.

2 Angels, unseen, attend the saints, And bear them in their arms, To cheer the spirit when it faints, And guard the life from harms.

Tune Salisbury.

3 The angels' Lord Himself is nigh To them that love His name; Ready to save them when they cry, And put their foes to shame.

4 Crosses and changes are their lot, Long as they sojourn here; But since their Saviour changes not, What have the saints to fear? John Newton, 1779.



55 Luke xv. 10. "Joy in the presence of the angels of God."

Tune ZOPHIM. 5 5, 77, 776.

THERE was joy in heaven! There was joy in neaven!
There was joy in heaven!
When this goodly world to frame
The Lord of might and mercy came:
Shouts of joy were heard on high,
And the stars sang from the sky—
"Glory to God in heaven!"

There was joy in heaven!
There was joy in heaven!
When the billows, heaving dark, Sank around the stranded ark, And the rainbow's watery span Spake of mercy, hope to man, And peace with God in heaven!

- There was joy in heaven!
 There was joy in heaven!
 When of love the midnight beam Dawned on the towers of Bethlehem; And along the echoing hill
 Angels sang, "On earth good will,
 And glory in the heaven!"
- There is joy in heaven!
 There is joy in heaven!
 When the sheep that went astray
 Turns again to virtue's way;
 When the soul, by grace subdued,
 Sobs its prayer of gratitude,
 Then is there joy in heaven!
 - 5 There is joy in heaven! There is joy in heaven! When the worn and panting soul verse the word and gains the goal:
 race subdued,
 atitude,
 n heaven!

 Bishop Heber, 1827; last verse by W. H. Havergal, 1853.





[H. P. 11.]



"Ye shall receive power, ofter that Acts i. 8. the Holy Ghost is come upon you.

Or WALDECK. Tune GILBOA. L. M.

- 1 Pour out Thy Spirit from on high, Lord, Thine ordained servants bless: Graces and gifts to each supply, And clothe Thy priests with righteousness.
- 2 Within Thy temple as they stand,
 To teach the truth as taught by Thee,
 Saviour, like stars in Thy right hand,
 Let all Thy church's pastors be.
 See Hymns 346, 363, 366.
- 3 Wisdom and zeal and love impart, Firmness with meekness from above, To bear Thy people in their heart, And love the souls whom Thou dost love:
- 4 To love and pray and never faint, By day and night strict guard to keep, To warn the sinner, cheer the saint, Nourish Thy lambs, and feed Thy sheep.
- 5 Then when their work is finished here, May they in hope their charge resign: When the Chief Shepherd shall appear, May they, O God, in glory shine!

 James Montgomery, 1835.

(2) MINISTERS OF CHRIST AND STEWARDS OF THE MYSTERIES OF GOD.

758 ² Thess. iii. 1. "Brethren, pray for us."
Tune KEDRON. 886. D.

1 LORD of the church, we humbly pray
For those who guide us in Thy way,
And speak Thy holy word:

And speak Thy holy word:
With love Divine their hearts inspire,
And touch their lips with hallowed
fire,

And needful grace impart.

2 Help them to preach the truth of God, Redenption through the Saviour's blood; Nor let Thy Spirit cease

On all the church His gifts to shower; To them, a messenger of power, To us, of life and peace.

3 So may they live to Thee alone; Then hear the welcome word—"Well done," And take their crown above;

See Hymns 120, 431, 837-841, 867, 838, 979, 1925, 1041 1002, 1009, 1084, 1093,

KEDRON (Brook). [H. P. 213.]

Enter into their Master's joy, And all eternity employ In praise and bliss and love!

Edward Osler, 1836.

759 Col. iv. 7. "A fai'hful minister . . in the Lord."

Tune Angels' Song. 88, 88, 88.

- 1 O THOU, who didst at Pentecost
 Send down from heaven the Holy G'host,
 That He might with Thy church abide
 For ever to defend and guide;
 Illuminate and strengthen, Lord,
 The preachers of Thy holy word.
- 2 Oh, may Thy pastors faithful be, Not labouring for themselves, but Thee; And may they feed with wholesome food The sheep and lambs bought by Thy blood; And tending Thy dear flock, may prove How dearly they the Shepherd love!
- 3 That which the Holy Scriptures teach, That, and that only, may they preach; May they the true foundation lay, Build gold thereon, not wood or hay; And meekly preach, in days of strife, The sermon of a holy life.
- 4 As ever in Thy holy eyes, And stewards of Thy mysteries, May they the people teach to see Not, Lord, Thy ministers, but Thee; To see a loving Saviour's face Revealed in all Thy means of grace.
- 5 May they Thy word with boldness speak, And bear with tenderness the weak; Not seeking their own things as best, But what may edify the rest; With wisdom and simplicity, And most of all with charity.



6 Oh, may Thy people faithful be, And in Thy pastors honour Thee, And, labouring with them, for them pray, And gladly Thee in them obey; And love the prophet of the Lord, And gain the prophet's own reward! Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1902,

760 Rom. x. 15. "How beautiful are the feet of them that preach the gospel of peace."

Tune Fugal. S. M. Or Narenza.

1 HOW beautoous are their feet Who stand on Zion's hill, Who bring salvation on their tongues, And words of peace reveal!

- 2 How charming is their voice! How sweet the tidings are! "Zion, behold thy Saviour King; He reigns and triumphs here."
- 3 How happy are our ears, That hear this joyful sound, Which kings and prophets waited for, And sought but never found.



4 How blessed are our eyes,
That see this heavenly light;
Prophets and kings desired it long,
But died without the sight!

5 The Lord makes bare His arm
Through all the earth abroad;
Let every nation now behold
Their Saviour and their God!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.

BESOR (Brook).

[H. P. 51.]



761 Rev. i

Rev. ii. 10. "Be thou faithful unto death."

Tune Besor. C. M.

- 1 LET Zion's watchmen all awake, And take the alarm they give; Now let them from the mouth of God Their solemn charge receive.
- 2 'Tis not a cause of small import
 The pastor's care demands;
 But what might fill an angel's heart,
 And filled a Saviour's hands.

- 3 They watch for souls, for which the Lord Did heavenly bliss forego; For souls which must for ever live In raptures or in wee.
- 4 All to the great tribunal haste, The account to render there; And shouldst Thou strictly mark our faults, Lord, how should we appear?
- 5 May they that Jesus, whom they preach,
 Their own Redeemer see;
 And watch Thou daily o'er their souls,
 That they may watch for Thee!
 Philip Doddridge, D.D., 1755.

SAXONY.

[H. P. 32.]

ILLNESS OF MINISTERS.

762 2 Cor. i. 10. "W

2 Cor. i. 10. "We trust that He will yet deliver."

Tune SAXONY. L. M.

1 O THOU, before whose gracious throne We bow our suppliant spirits down! Thou know'st the anxious cares we feel, And all our trembling lips would tell.

2 With power benign, Thy servant spare; Nor turn aside Thy people's prayer; Avert Thy swift descending stroke, Nor smite the shepherd of the flock!

- 3 Restore him, sinking to the grave, Stretch out Thine arm, make haste to save; Back to our hopes and wishes give, And bid our friend and father live.
- 4 Yet, if our supplications fail, And prayers and tears can nought prevail, Be Thou his strength, be Thou his stay, And guide him safe to endless day!

S. M.

DEATH OF MINISTERS.

Tune FUGAL.

763 Rev. xiv. 13. "Rest from their labours."

1 REST from thy labour, rest, Soul of the just, set free! Blest be thy memory, and blest Thy bright example be.

3 Now, toil and Go, take wit But go as eael A sinner sav

3 Now, toil and conflict o'er, Go, take with saints thy place; But go as each has gone before, A sinner saved by grace.

Thy bright example be, 2 Faith, perseverance, zeal, Language of light and power, Love, prompt to act and quick to

Love, prompt to act and quick to feel,
Marked thee till life's last hour.

See Hymns 973, 980.

And now we wait Thine of commands—
We were not his, but Thine.

- 4 Saviour, into Thy hands
 Our pastor we resign:
 And now we wait Thine own
 eommands—
- 5 Thou art Thy church's Head; And, when the members die, Thou raisest others in their stead: To Thee we lift our eye;

Or CYRENE.

6 On Thee our hopes depend, We gather round our Rock; Send whom Thou wilt, but condescend

Thyself to feed Thy flock! James Montgomery, 1851.



764 Matt. xxv. 23. "Well done, good and faithful servant."

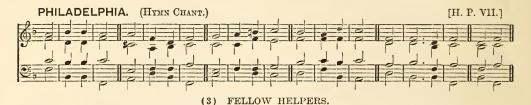
1 SERVANT of God, well done! Rest from thy loved employ; The battle fought, the victory won, Enter thy Master's 'joy.

2 The pains of death are past; Labour and sorrow cease; And, life's long warfare closed at last, His soul is found in peace.

Tune Franconia. S. M.

3 Soldier of Christ, well done!
Praise be thy new employ;
And, while eternal ages run,
Rest in thy Saviour's joy!

James Montgomery, 1816.



765 Matt. xxi. 28. "Go, work to-day in My vineyard." Tune, Hymn Chant Philadelphia. 4, 10 10, 10 4.

COME, labour on ! [plain? Who dares stand idle on the harvest While all around him waves the golden grain, And to each servant does the Master say, "Go work to-day!"

Claim the high calling angels cannot share—
To young and old the gospel-gladness bear:
Redeem the time; its hours too swittly fly,
The night draws nigh.

3 Come, labour on!
The labourers are few, the field is wide,
New stations must be filled, and blanks supplied;
From voices distant far, or near at home,
The call is "Come!"

See Hymn 689.

4 Come, labour on!
Away with gloomy doubts and faithless fear!
No arm so weak but may do service here;
By feeblest agents can our God fulfil
His righteous will.

Come, labour on!
No time for rest, till glows the western sky,
While the long shadows o'er our pathway lie,
And a glad sound comes with the setting sun—
"Servants, well done!"

6 Come, labour on!
The toil is pleasant, the reward is sure,
Blessèd are those who to the end endure;
How full their joy, how deep their rest shall be,
O Lord, with Thee!

Jane Borthwick, 1859.



766 2 Cor. xii. 15. "I will very gladly spend and be spent." Tune, Hymn Chant EPHESUS. L. M. Or GILBOA.

1 GO labour on! spend and be spent— Thy joy to do thy Father's will; It is the way the Master went, Should not the servant tread it still?

2 Go labour on! 'tis not for nought, All earthly loss is heavenly gain! Men heed thee not, men praise thee not; The Master praises! what are men? 3 Go labour on! enough, enough, If Jesus praise thee, if He deign To notice e'en thy willing mind, No toil for Him shall be in vain.

4 Go labour on! thy hands are weak,
Thy knees are faint, thy soul cast down;
Yet falter not—the prize is near,
The throne, the kingdom, and the crown!

- 5 Go labour on—while it is day,
 The long dark night is hastening on;
 Speed, speed thy work—up from thy sloth—
 It is not thus that souls are won!
- 6 See thousands dying at your side, Your brethren, kindred, friends of home. See millions perishing afar, Haste, brethren, to the rescue come!
- 7 Toil on, toil on; rebuke, exhort, Be wise the souls of men to win; Go forth into the world's highway, Intreat, compel them to come in.
- 8 Toil on, toil on: thou soon shalt find
 For labour rest, for exile home;
 Soon shalt thou hear the Bridegroom's voice,
 The midnight peal, "Behold I come!"

 Horatius Bonar, D.D., 1843.

SWABIA.

[H. P. 82.]



767 Luke x. 2. "The harvest truly is great."
Tune SWABIA. S. M.

1 HOW vast the field of souls, Of souls that cannot die! Where earth expands or ocean rolls, That field invites our eye.

2 The harvest of that field How ready for our hand! But they who well the sickle wield Are still a little band. 3 Then let us earnest be In faith for souls to care: The Master of the field is He, Who bids us join in prayer.

4 Thy Spirit, Lord, forth send, More labourers to provide; Throughout the field be Thou their Friend, Their Keeper and their Guide.

5 Then, when their toils are past, And all Thy garner stored, Be Thou the First, and Thou the Last, Unceasingly adored!

William Henry Havergal, 1858.

768 Rev. xxii. 17. "Let him that heareth say,

Tune Sihor. 77, 77, 77. Or Ratisbon.

YE who hear the blessed call
Of the Spirit and the Bride:
Hear the Master's word to all,
Your commission and your guide—
"And let him that heareth say,
Come," to all yet far away.

2 "Come!" alike to age and youth, Tell them of our Friend above, Of His beauty and His truth, Preciousness and grace and love. Tell them what you know is true, Tell them what He is to you.

3 "Come!" to those who do not care For the Saviour's precious death, Having not a thought to spare For the gracious words He saith. Ere the shadows gather deep, Rouse them from their fatal sleep.

4 "Come!" to those who, while they hear, Linger, hardly knowing why; Tell them that the Lord is near, Tell them Jesus passes by. Call them now; oh! do not wait, Lest to-morrow be too late.

5 Brothers, sisters, do not wait, Speak for Him who speaks to you! Wherefore should you hesitate? This is no great thing to do. Jesus only bids you say, "Come!" and will you not obey?



6 Lord! to Thy command we bow,
Touch our lips with altar fire;
Let Thy Spirit kindle now
Faith, and zeal, and strong desire;
So that henceforth we may be
Fellow workers, Lord, with Thee!

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1839.



(4) SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS.

John xxi. 15. "Feed My lambs." 769 Tune Melcombe. L. M.

> 1 O LORD, with thankful hearts we meet Once more before Thy mercy-seat, To offer Thee our humble prayer For all the children of our care.

2 'Tis Thine, O Lord, alone to bless Our feeble efforts with success; And while we teach, oh grant that we May every one be taught of Thee.

3 Oft as we speak of Jesu's love, Send down Thy blessing from above; That all who thus Thy day employ, And sow in tears, may reap in joy!
Sunday School Hymn Book, 1840.

770 2 Tim. ii. 25. "In meekness instructing."

1 SPIRIT of wisdom from above, Dispenser of the Father's love, True Witness of adopting grace, Great Sanctifier of our race;

2 Oh, give us knowledge, give us zeal, Teach us to think, and make us feel; Hallow our spirit, conduct, tongue, And bless, oh, bless us to the young.

Tune MELCOMBE. Or GILBOA. L. M.

3 May we be gentle, patient, kind, Possessors of the Saviour's mind; In purpose firm, and motive pure, Fitted to labour and endure.

4 Accept our praise, our prayer inspire; Baptize us now with sacred fire; And may our lives reflect the same, And prove from whence the ardour came! Sunday School Hymns, 1857.

771 1 Cor. xv. 58. "Your labour is not in vain in the Lord."

Tune PURDAY. 87, 87, 77.

1 44 ALL the night and nothing taken"-How shall we let down the net? All our steadfast hopes are shaken, Every scheme with failure met:
Though we speak the message clear,
Yet the sinner will not hear.

2 "All the night and nothing taken"-And the hours be speeding by; Is the chosen flock forsaken? Is no Master standing nigh? Nought is found among the band But faint heart and weary hand.

3 Still, though night may pass in sorrow. And no guiding star appear,
Sounds the promise for the morrow
From the Master standing near:
"Ye shall find": then hopeful yet At His word we loose the net!

Dean Alford, D.D., 1867.



(5) DISTRICT VISITORS.

Ps. c. 2. "Serve the Lord with gladness."

Tune Boston. 76, 86. D. Or GOLDBACH.

1 'TIS sweet to work for Jesus;
To spread around "The joyful sound,"
As those forgiven may; To tell His lovingkindness,

His promises so true;
To urge the young That they may come,
And trust this Saviour too.

2 'Tis sweet to work for Jesus, For Him who loved, and gave Himself for us, An offering thus Our ruined souls to save. Glad service we would render For grace so rich and free;
Yet, Lord, we mourn, That we have borne
So little fruit to Thee.



3 'Tis sweet to work for Jesus:

Be this our one desire,
Our purpose still To do His will,
Whatever He require.
No action is too lovely.

No action is too lowly,
No work of love too small;
If Christ but lead, We may indeed

Well follow such a call.

i 'Tis sweet to work for Jesus,
While our weak spirits rest
In His own care, Safe sheltered there,
And with His presence blest.
In such calm, happy moments,
No greater joy we know;
Redeemed from sin, We live for Him
To whom our all we owe.

5 'Tis sweet to work for Jesus—
Oh! weary not of this,
But onward press With cheerfulness,
Though rough the pathway is.
Hold on unmoved and patient,
Till He shall call thee home,
With joy to stand At God's right hand,
To serve before the throne!

Elizabeth Lydia Starling, 1862.

- 773 Rom. xiv. 7. "None of us liveth to himself."
 Tune MELCOMBE. L.M. Or GILBOA.
 - 1 LORD, speak to me, that I may speak In living echoes of Thy tone: As Thou hast sought, so let me seek Thy erring children, lost and lone.
 - 2 Oh, lead me, Lord, that I may lead The wandering and the wavering feet; Oh, feed me, Lord, that I may feed Thy hungering ones with manna swect.
 - 3 Oh, strengthen me, that while I stand Firm on the Rock, and strong in Thee, I may stretch out a loving hand To wrestlers with the troubled sea.

See Hymns 689, 867, 868.

- 4 Oh, teach me, Lord, that I may teach
 The precious things Thou dost impart;
 And wing my words, that they may reach
 The hidden depths of many a heart.
- 5 Oh, give Thine own sweet rest to me, That I may speak with soothing power A word in season, as from Thee, To weary ones in needful hour.
- © Oh, fill me with Thy fulness, Lord, Until my very heart o'erflow In kindling thought and glowing word, Thy love to tell, Thy praise to show.
- 7 Oh, use me, Lord, use even me, Just as Thou wilt, and when, and where; Until Thy blessed Face I see, Thy rest, Thy joy, Thy glory share.

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1872.

THEME V .- The Two Sacraments.



(1) BAPTISM.

774 Mark x. 16. "He took them up in His arms."
Tune St. Chrysostom. C. M.

1 SEE Israel's gentle Shepherd stand With all-engaging charms; Hark, how He calls the tender lambs, And folds them in His arms!

2 "Permit them to approach," He cries,
"Nor scorn their humble name;
For 'twas to bless such souls as these
The Lord of angels came."

3 We bring them, Lord, in thankful hands, And yield them up to Thee: Joyful that we ourselves are Thine, Thine let our offspring be.

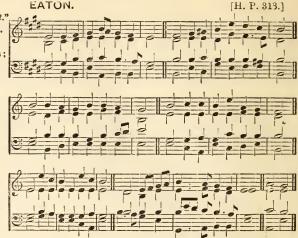
4 Ye little flock, with pleasure hear: Ye children, seek His face; And fly with transport to receive The blessings of His grace! Philip Doddridge, D.D., 1755. 775 Rom. vi. 3. "Baptized into Jesus Christ." Tune EATON. 88,88,88. Or MAON.

¹ LORD! may the inward grace abound Through Thine appointed outward sign; A milder seal than Abraham found, Of covenant blessings more Divine: Which opens glory to our view Beyond the brightest hope he knew!

2 Type of the Spirit's living flow, In faith we pour the hallowed stream: We sign the cross upon the brow,
The solemn pledge of truth to Him,
Who shed for us His precious blood To seal the covenant of God.

3 Baptized into the Trinity. Adopted children of Thy grace, Oh, help us, Lord, to live to Thee, A humble, pure, and faithful race! Instruct us, sanctify, defend,
And crown with heavenly life our end!

Edward Osler, 1836,





Mark x. 13. "They brought young children to Him."

OUR children, Lord, in faith and prayer We now present to Thee;
Let them Thy covenant mercies share, And Thy salvation see.

2 Such helpless babes Thou didst embrace, While dwelling here below; To us and ours, O God of grace, The same compassion show.

Tune Bedford.

3 In early days their hearts secure From worldly snares, we pray; And may they to the end endure In every righteous way.

4 Before them let their parents live
In godly faith and fear;
Then first to heaven their souls receive, Next bring their children there!

Marianne Nunn, 1830.

SHENIR II. (Mount.)

[H. P. 151.]



Matt. xxviii. 19. "Baptizing . . . in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost." Or VIENNA. Tune Shenir II. 77, 77.

1 HEAVENLY Father! may Thy love Beam upon us from above; Let this infant find a place In Thy covenant of grace.

2 Son of God, be with us here. Listen to our humble prayer: Let Thy blood on Calvary spilt Cleanse this child from nature's guilt. 3 Holy Ghost, to Thee we cry, Thou this infant sanctify; Thine almighty power display, Seal him to redemption's day.

Great Jehovah, Fatner, Son, Holy Spirit, Three in One, Let the blessing come from Theo, Thine shall all the glory be! Benjamin Guest, 1843. 4 Great Jehovah, Father, Son,



[H. P. 44.]



2 Tim. ii. 4. "Chosen . . . to be a soldier." C. M. Tune Tallis.

- 1 IN token that thou shalt not fear Christ crucified to own, We print the cross upon thee here, And stamp thee His alone.
- 2 In token that thou shalt not blush To glory in His name, We blazon here upon thy front His glory and His shame.

- 3 In token that thou shalt not flinch Christ's quarrel to maintain, But 'neath His banner manfully Firm at thy post remain;
- 4 In token that thou too shalt tread The path He travelled by, Endure the cross, despise the shame, And sit thee down on high;
- 5 Thus, outwardly and visibly, We seal thee for His own:
 And may the brow that wears His cross
 Hereafter share His crown!

Dean Alford, D.D., 1832.

MELCOMBE.

[H. P. 24.]



(2) THE LORD'S SUPPER.

779 Luke xiv. 17. "Come, for all things are now ready."

1 MY God, and is Thy table spread?
And doth Thy cup with love o'erflow?
Thither be all Thy children led,
And let them all its sweetness know.

2 Hail, sacred feast, which Jesus makes, Rich banquet of His flesh and blood! Thrice happy he who here partakes That sacred stream, that heavenly food!

Tune Melcombe.

3 Why are its dainties all in vain Before unwilling hearts displayed? Was not for you the Victim slain? Are you forbid the children's bread?

4 Oh, let Thy table honoured be, And furnished well with joyful guests: And may each soul salvation see That here its sacred pledges tastes! Philip Doddridge, D.D., 1755.

FRENCH; or, DUNDEE.

[H. P. 65.]



780 Luke xxii. 19. "This do in remembrance of Me." 1 ACCORDING to Thy gracious word.

A In deep humility,

This will I do, my dying Lord,
I will remember Thee.

- 2 Thy body, broken for my sake, My bread from heaven shall be; The sacramental cup I'll take, And thus remember Thee.
- 3 Can I Gethsemane forget, Or there Thy conflict see, Thine agony and bloody sweat, And not remember Thee?

- Tune FRENCH. C. M.
- When to the cross I turn mine eyes, And gaze on Calvary,
 Lamb of God, my Sacrifice, I must remember Thee.
- 5 Remember Thee, and all Thy pains, And all Thy love to me? Yes, while a breath, a pulse remains, Will I remember Thee.
- 6 And when these failing lips grow dumb, And mind and memory flee, When Thou shalt in Thy kingdom come, Jesus, remember me!

James Montgomery, 1825.



[H. P. 130.]



781 Cant. ii. 3. "I sat down under His shadow with great delight." Tune GOLDBACH, Part I. 76, 76.

- 1 SIT down beneath His shadow, And rest with great delight; The faith that now beholds Him Is pledge of future sight.
- 2 Our Master's love remember, Exceeding great and free; Lift up thy heart in gladness, For He remembers thee.
- 3 Bring every weary burden, Thy sin, thy fear, thy grief; He calls the heavy laden And gives them kind relief.

- 4 His righteousness "all glorious"
 Thy festal robe shall be;
 And love that passeth knowledge
 His banner over thee.
- 5 A little while, though parted, Remember, wait, and love, Until He comes in glory, Until we meet above.
- 6 Till in the Father's kingdom The heavenly feast is spread, And we behold His beauty, Whose blood for us was shed! Frances Ridley Havergal, 1870.



CYRENE.

[H. P. 92.]



782 Cant. ii. 3. "His fruit was sweet to my taste," Tune Cyrene. S. M. Or Armageddon.

- 1 SWEET feast of love Divine!
 Tis grace that makes us free
 To feed upon this bread and wine,
 In memory, Lord, of Thee.
- 2 Here every welcome guest
 Waits, Lord, from Thee to learn
 The secrets of Thy Father's breast,
 And all Thy grace discern.

- 3 The blood that flowed for sin,
 In symbol here we see;
 And feel the blessed pledge within,
 That we are loved of Thee.
- 4 Oh, if this glimpse of love Is so divinely sweet, What will it be, O Lord, above, Thy gladdening smile to meet?
- 5 To see Thee face to face, Thy perfect likeness wear, And all Thy ways of wondrous grace Through endless years declare?

Sir Edward Denny, 1839.

MELCOMBE.

[H. P. 24.]



783 Cant. ii. 4. "He brought me to the banqueting house."

Tune Melcombe. L. M.

- 1 OURS is a rich and royal feast, Provided by the King of heaven: How privileged are they, and blest, To whom the bread of life is given!
- 2 In sacred fellowship we meet, To celebrate our Saviour's death: His blood we drink, His flesh we eat; And feed on Him by living faith.

- 3 We worship Him who bore the cross; We glory in His death alone: The world itself appears but loss To those to whom His name is known
- 4 The blood He sheds supplies a stream That washes all our guilt away; How precious, then, the Lord should seem, Whose death we celebrate to-day!
- 5 On earth His dying love shall be
 Our spring of hope, our theme of joy;
 And, when in heaven our Lord we see,
 His praise shall all our powers employ!

 Thomas Kelly, 1809. (a.)



[H. P. 296.]

Or SALZBURG.



Col. i. 20. " Peace through the blood of His cross."

1 SWEET the moments, rich in blessing. Which before the cross I spend, Life, and health, and peace possessing, From the sinner's dying Friend. Here I'll sit for ever viewing Mercy's streams, in streams of blood: Precious drops! my soul bedewing, Plead and claim my peace with God.

2 Truly blessed is this station, Low before His cross to lie; While I see Divine compassion Floating in His languid eye.

Tune GOTHA. 87, 87. D.

Here it is I find my heaven. While upon the cross I gaze: Love I much? I've more forgiven;

I'm a miracle of grace. 3 Love and grief my heart dividing, With my tears His feet I'll bathe, Constant still in faith abiding,

Constant statut abiding,
Life deriving from His death.

May I still enjoy this feeling,
In all need to Jesus go;
Prove His wounds each day more healing,
And Himself more fully know!

J. Allen, 1757; W. Shirlen, 1771.

FRANKFORT.

TH. P. 183.1



785 Ps. xxiii. 5. "Thou preparest a table before me."

1 ISRAEL'S Shepherd! guide me, feed me, Through my pilgrimage below; And beside the waters lead me, Where Thy flock rejoicing go.

2 Jesus! Heavenly Shepherd! ever Guard and keep me in Thy way;
I have found Thee, and would never,
Never from Thy presence stray.

3 Oh! how sweet, how comfortable, In the wilderness to see Rich provisions, and a table Spread for sinners, spread for me. Tune FRANKFORT. 87, 87.

4 Here Thy bounty still partaking, Consecrated bread and wine, Freely all things else forsaking. I behold the Saviour mine.

5 In His bruised body broken, In the shedding of His blood, See, my soul, a gracious token, Sure and full for every good.

6 Cleansed, and washed, and freely pardoned By His matchless love and power; Hear Him say (no longer hardened), "Go in peace, and sin no more! John Bickersteth, 1819.

HAVERGAL. (PART I.) [H. P. 163.]

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Ezek. xxxiv. 14. "I will feed them." Tune HAVERGAL, Part I.

- 1 JESU, to Thy table led, Now let every heart be fed With the true and living Bread.
- 2 While in penitence we kneel, Thy sweet presence let us feel, All Thy wondrous love reveal!
- 3 While on Thy dear cross we gaze, Mourning o'er our sinful ways, Turn our sadness into praise!

- 4 When we taste the mystic wine, Of Thine outpoured blood the sign. Fill our hearts with love Divine!
- 5 Draw us to Thy wounded side, Whence there flowed the healing tide; There our sins and sorrows hide!
- 6 From the bonds of sin release, Cold and wavering faith increase, Lamb of God, grant us Thy peace!
- 7 Lead us by Thy pterced hand, Till around Thy throne we stand, In the bright and better land! Robert Hall Baynes, 183.



John vi. 51. "The bread that I will give is My flesh."

Tune Bashan. 66, 66,

1 | HUNGER and I thirst: Jesus! my manna be; Ye living waters, burst Out of the Rock for me.

- 2 Thou bruised and broken Bread! My lifelong wants supply: As living souls are fed, Oh, feed me, or I die.
- 3 Thou true life-giving Vine! Let me Thy sweetness prove, Renew my life with Thine, Refresh my soul with love.
- 4 Rough paths my feet have trod Since first their course began; Feed me, Thou Bread of God; Help me, Thou Son of man!

5 For still the desert lies

My thirsting soul before: O living waters, rise Within me evermore. J. S. B. Monsell, LL.D., 1861.

1 Cor. xi. 26. "Till He come." **7**88 Tune SIHOR. 77, 77, 77. 1 TILL He come! Oh, let the words

Linger on the trembling chords: Let the little while between In their golden light be seen Let us think how heaven and home Lie beyond that "Till He come."

2 When the weary ones we love Enter on their rest above, Seems the earth so poor and vast, All our life-joy overcast?
Hush! be every murmur dumb,—
It is only "Till He come."

3 Clouds and conflicts round us press; Would we have one sorrow less? All the sharpness of the cross, All that tells the world is loss, Death, and darkness, and the tomb, Only whisper, "Till He come."

4 See, the feast of love is spread: Drink the wine and break the bread; Sweet memorials,—till the Lord Call us round His heavenly board; Some from earth, from glory some, Severed only "Till He come." Edward Henry Bickersteth, 1869. SIHOR (River). [H. P. 158.]

CORPUS CHRISTI.

[H. P. 347.]

789 John vi. 51. "I am the living Bread"

1 BREAD of the world, in mercy broken, Wine of the soul, in mercy shed, By whom the words of life were spoken, And in whose death our sins are dead; Tune Corpus Christi. 98,98.

2 Look on the heart by sorrow broken, Look on the tears by sinners shed; And be Thy feast to us the token That by Thy grace our souls are fed Bishop Heber, 1827.

"The King sitteth at His table." Cant. i. 12. Tune Godesberg. 87, 87. D. Or Salzburg.

1 WHILE in sweet communion feeding WHILE in sweet communion feeding
On this earthly bread and wine,
Saviour, may we see Thee bleeding
On the cross, to make us Thine!
Now our eyes for ever closing
To this fleeting world below,
On Thy gentle breast reposing,
Teach us, Lord, Thy grace to know.





2 Though unseen, be ever near us,
With the still small voice of love,
Whispering words of peace to cheer us,
Every doubt and fear remove:
Bring before us all the story
Of Thy life and death of woe,
And with hones of endless glovy

And with hopes of endless glory Wean our hearts from all below!

Sir Edward Denny, 1843.



COMMUNION OF THE SICK.

791 Isa. xli. 10. "Fear thou not, for I am with thee."

OH, fear not, though before thee lies A dark and narrow way, For at thy side thy Saviour walks, Thy Comforter and Stay.

2 Hold fast His hand, and lean in faith Upon that mighty arm; His love and power will guide thy steps, And shelter thee from harm.

3 Thou Son of God, eternal Lord, Who wearest human flesh, And dost Thy blood and body give To cleanse us and refresh:

4 Oh, make our sinful bodies clean With this most holy food Of Thine own flesh, and wash our souls With Thy most precious blood.

5 The Resurrection and the Life Be Thou to us, O Lord, Fulfil to us the gracious pledge Of Thy most holy word. Tune Evan I. C. M. Or French.

6 "Who eats My flesh, and drinks My blood, Dwells evermore in Me, And shall by Me at the last day Upraised in glory be."

7 Therefore we fear not, though we tread A dark and narrow way; For Thou art walking at our side, Our Comforter and Stay.

8 We clasp Thy hand, and lean in faith On Thy most mighty arm; Thy love and power support our steps, And shelter us from harm.

9 Oh, lead us through the gate of death Forth to that blessed place, Where we may evermore behold The brightness of Thy face;

10 And praise the Father and the Son,
By whom we ever live,
And praise to God the Holy Ghost
Through endless ages give!

Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1863.

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THEME VI .- The Jord's Pay.

(1) OPENING OF THE LORD'S DAY.

792 Num. x. 2. "Trumpets of silver ... for the calling of the assembly."

Tune Zion. 88,88,88. Or Mamre.

1 THE day of rest once more comes round,
A day to all believers dear;
The silver trumpets seem to sound,
That call the tribes of Israel near;
Ye people all Obey the call,
And in Jehovah's courts appear.

2 Obedient to Thy summons, Lord,
We to Thy sanctuary come:
Thy gracious presence here afford,
And send Thy people joyful home.
Of Thee, our King, Oh may we sing,
And none with such a theme be dumb!

3 Oh, hasten, Lord, the day when those
Who know Thee here shall see Thy face;
When suffering shall for ever close,
And they shall reach their destined place;
Then shall they rest Supremely blest,
Eternal debtors to Thy grace!

Thomas Kelly, 1806.



A triple light was given.



From earth to things above.

Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1862.



796 Isa. lviii. 13. "Call the sabbath a delight."

1 DEAR is to me the sabbath morn;
The village bells, the pastor's voice;
These oft have found my heart forlorn,
And these have bid that heart rejoice.

2 And dear to me the winged hour Spent in Thy hallowed courts, O Lord! To feel devotion's soothing power, And catch the manna of Thy word. Tune Melcombe. L. M.

3 And dear to me the loud Amen, Which echoes through the blessed abode, Which swells and sinks, and swells again, Dies on the walls, but lives to God.

4 Oh! when the world, with iron hand,
Would bind me in its six days' chain,
Thus burst, O Lord! the strong man's band,
And let my spirit loose again!

John William Cunningham, 1822.



797 Ps. cxviii. 24. "This is the day which the Lord hath made."

Tune IONA. C.M. Or Hymn Chant EPHESUS.

1 THIS is the day the Lord hath made, He calls the hours His own Let heaven rejoice, let earth be glad, And praise surround Thy throne.

2 To-day He rose and left the dead, And Satan's empire fell; To-day the saints His triumph spread, And all His wonders tell. 3 Hosanna to the' anointed King, To David's holy Son: Help us, O Lord; descend and bring Salvation from Thy throne.

4 Blest be the Lord, who comes to men With messages of grace;
Who comes in God His Father's name,
To save our sinful race.

5 Hosanna in the highest strains
The church on earth can raise:
The highest heavens, in which He reigns,
Shall give Him nobler praise!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1719.

798 Mal. iv. 2. "Unto you that fear My name shall the Sun of Righteousness arise."

Tune Melcombe. L. M. Or Hymn Chant Worcester.

1 THOU glorious Sun of Righteousness, On this day risen to set no more, Shine on me now to heal, to bless, With brighter beams than e'er before,

2 Shine on Thy work of grace within, On each celestial blossom there; Destroy each bitter root of sin, And make Thy garden fresh and fair.

3 Shine on Thy pure eternal word, Its mysteries to my soul reveal; And whether read, remembered, heard, Oh, let it quicken, strengthen, heal.

4 Shine on the temples of Thy grace; In spotless robes Thy priests be clad; There show the brightness of Thy face, And make Thy chosen people glad.

5 Shine on those unseen things, displayed To faith's far penetrating eye; And let their splendour cast a shade On every earthly vanity.

PART II.

6 Shine in the hearts of those most dear,
Disperse each cloud 'twixt them and Thee;
Their glorious heavenward prospects clear;
"Light in Thy light," oh, let them see.

7 Shine on those friends for whom we mourn,
Who know not yet Thy healing ray;
Quicken their souls, and bid them turn
To Thee, "the Life, the Truth, the Way."

8 Shine on those tribes no country owns, On Judah, once Thy dwelling place; "Thy servants think upon her stones," And long to see her day of grace.

9 Shine on the missionary's home, Give him his heart's desire to see; Collect Thy scattered ones who roam; One fold, one Shepherd, let there be.

10 Shine, till Thy glorious beams shall chase The blinding film from every eye; Till every earthly dwelling place Shall hail the Dayspring from on high.

11 Shine on, shine on, Eternal Sun!
Pour richer floods of life and light,
Till that bright sabbath be begun,
That glorious day which knows no night!
Charlotte Elliott, 1839.



(2) OPENING OF PUBLIC WORSHIP.

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Ps. cxxxii. 14. "Here will I dwell."

COME to Thy temple, Lord,
Thy waiting church to bless:
Let here Thy glory be adored,
Give here Thy word success.

2 Our inmost hearts refine,
 And for Thyself prepare:
 Cast out all thoughts but thoughts Divine,
 And reign triumphant there.

Tune AVEN. S. M.

Or AMANA.

3 Thy servants, Lord, we are, Baptized into Thy name: All hurtful things put from us far, All works of sin and shame.

4 Come to Thy temple, Lord,
Thine own assembly bless:
That all may offer with accord
Offerings of righteousness!
Dean Alford, D.D., 1844.

LONDON NEW; or, NEWTON.

[H. P. 55.]



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1 Kings viii. 29. "That Thine eyes may be open toward this house night and day."

Tune LONDON NEW. C. M.

1 GREAT Shepherd of Thy people, hear, Thy presence now display; As Thou hast given a place for prayer, So give us hearts to pray.

2 Show us some token of Thy love, Our fainting hope to raise; And pour Thy blessings from above, That we may render praise.

3 Within these walls let holy peace And love and concord dwell; Here give the troubled conscience ease, The wounded spirit heal. 4 The feeling heart, the melting eye,
The humble mind bestow;
And shine upon us from on high,
To make our graces grow.

5 May we in faith receive Thy word, In faith present our prayers; And in the presence of our Lord Unbosom all our cares,

6 And may the gospel's joyful sound, Enforced by mighty grace, Awaken many sinners round, To come and fill the place!

John Newton, 1779.

MELCOMBE.

[H. P. 24.]



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Matt. xviii. 20. "Where two or three are gathered together in My name, there am I in the midst."

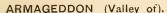
Tune Melcombe. L. M.

JESUS, where'er Thy people meet,
There they behold Thy mercy-seat;
Where'er they seek Thee, Thou art found,
And every place is hallowed ground.

2 For Thou, within no walls confined, Inhabitest the humble mind; Such ever bring Thee where they come, And going, take Thee to their home. 3 Great Shepherd of Thy chosen few, Thy former mercies here renew; Here to our waiting hearts proclaim The sweetness of Thy saving name.

4 Here may we prove the power of prayer To strengthen faith, and sweeten care; To teach our faint desires to rise, And bring all heaven before our eyes.

5 Lord, we are weak, but Thou art near, Nor short Thine arm, nor deaf Thine ear; Oh, rend the heavens, come quickly down, And make the sinner's heart Thine own! William Couper, 1779.



[H. P. 90.]



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Luke i. 78. "The Dayspring from on high."

1 NO dawn of holy light, No day of sacred rest, E'er breaks upon the heathen's sight, To soothe his troubled breast.

2 But lo! with healing ray, The Dayspring meets our eye: And Christians on their Master's day Rejoice to feel Him nigh. Tune Armageddon. S. M.

3 To Him let praise be given,
The noblest, sweetest, best;
For He has brought us light from heaven,
And hope of endless rest.

4 Lord, let Thy saving light, Thy day of glorious rest, Soon chase from earth the toilsome night, And soothe each wearied breast! William Henry Havergal, 1825.



[H. P. 182.]



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Luke vi. 5. "Lord also of the Sabbath."

Tune STUTTGARD. 87.87.

1 HALLELUJAH! Lord, our voices Rise in choral strains to Thee: Son of Man, Thy church rejoices In her weekly jubilee.

2 Hallelujah! praise ascending Calls on prayer to wing her way: Lord, before Thy gospel bending Let the heathen hall Thy day. 3 Let the nations sad and weary, Idol-bound and sin-opprest, Soon rejoice in drawing near Thee, On Thy day of hallowed rest!

4 Hallelujah! mercy beaming Lights the path that leads to God; Herald lips, divinely teeming, Publish blessings bought with blood.

5 Hallelujah! Saviour, hear us;
Downward send Thy quickening Dove;
May His silver pinions bear us
To the realms of rest and love!
William Henry Havergal, 1828.

PSALM 148th.

[H. P. 114.]



804 Ps. lxxxiv. 4. "Blessed are they that dwell in Thy house."

Tune PSALM 148TH. O. V. 6666, 4444.

Or DARWELL.

I LORD of the worlds above,
How pleasant and how fair
The dwellings of Thy love,
Thy earthly temples are!
To Thine abode Our hearts aspire,
With warm desire To see our God.

2 O happy souls that pray,
Where God appoints to hear!
O happy men that pay
Their constant service there!
They praise Thee still: Thrice happy they
That love the way To Zion's hill.



They go from strength to strength
Through this dark vale of tears;
Till each arrives at length,
Till each in heaven appears;
O glorious seat, When God, our King,
Shall thither bring Our willing feet!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1719.



1 Now, gracious Lord, Thine arm reveal, And make Thy glory known; Now let us all Thy presence feel, 2 Help us to venture near Thy throne, And soften hearts of stone!

And plead a Saviour's name; For all that we can call our own Is vanity and shame.

3 From all the guilt of former sin
May mercy set us free;
And let the week we now begin
Begin and end with Thee.

4 Send down Thy Spirit from above, That saints may love Thee more And sinners now may learn to love, Who never loved before.

John Newton, 1779.



808 Neh. ix. 5. "Stand up and bless the Lord your God."

Tune NARENZA. S. M.

STAND up, and bless the Lord, Ye people of His choice; Stand up, and bless the Lord your God With heart and soul and voice.

2 Though high above all praise, Above all blessing high, Who would not fear His holy name, And laud and magnify! 3 Oh for the living flame,
From His own altar brought,
To touch our lips, our mind inspire,
And wing to heaven our thought!

4 God is our strength and song, And His salvation ours; Then be His love in Christ proclaimed, With all our ransomed powers.

5 Stand up, and bless the Lord, The Lord your God adore; Stand up, and bless His glorious name Henceforth for evermore!

James Montgomery, 1825.

(3) BEFORE THE SERMON.

1 Cor. iii. 7. "God that giveth the increase."
Tune HAVILAH. 87, 87, 47.

1 COME, Thou soul-transforming Spirit,
Bless the sower and the seed;
Let each heart Thy grace inherit,
Raise the weak, the hungry feed:
From the gospel,
Now supply Thy people's need.

2 Oh may all enjoy the blessing
Which Thy holy word can give:
Let us all, Thy love possessing,
Joyfully the truth receive;
And for ever
To Thy praise and glory live.

Jonathan Evans, 1784.

810 ¹ Cor. iii. 11. "Other foundation can no man lay."
Tune HAVILAH. 87, 87, 47. Or CIVITAS REGIS.

1 CHRIST is made the sure Foundation, Christ the Head and Corner Stone! Chosen of the Lord, and precious, Binding all the church in one; Holy Zion's help for ever, And her confidence alone.

2 All that dedicated city, Dearly loved of God on high, In exultant jubilation Pours perpetual melody; God, the One in Three, adoring In glad hymns eternally.

3 To this temple, where we call Thee, Come, O Lord of Hosts, to-day; With Thy wonted loving-kindness, Hear Thy servants as they pray; And Thy fullest benediction Shed within its walls alway.



4 Here vouchsafe to all Thy servants, What they ask of Thee to gain, What they gain from Thee, for ever With the blessed to retain; And hereafter in Thy glory Evermore with Thee to reign.

5 Praise and honour to the Father, Praise and honour to the Son,
Praise and honour to the Spirit,
Ever Three and ever One;
One in might, and One in glory,
While eternal ages run!
Ninth Century; John M. Neale, D.D. (tr.), 1951.



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Isa. xi. 2. "The Spirit of the Lord shall rest upon Him."

Tune JORDAN. 886. D.

- 1 SPIRIT Jehovah! glorious Lord!
 Vouchsafe Thy presence with Thy word,
 To all Thy church around:
 Lord! give to each of Thine now here,
 The seeing eye, the hearing ear,
 To know the joyful sound.
- 2 O Spirit! on Christ's garden blow, And cause the spices all to flow, As grace for grace each suits: For then will our Belovèd come Into this garden of His own, And eat His pleasant fruits.
- 3 'Tis Thine, O Lord, in blessing thus, To take of Christ's and show to us, Of Him, and His, impart:

- And Thine no less the same to prove, And shed abroad the Father's love, In each renewed heart.
- 4 Almighty Lord! let all around
 In sweet communion now abound,
 With God, and God's dear Son:
 If Thou wilt open to our view
 The love of each, and draw us too,
 Then will our hearts be won.
- 5 Then will loud praises through our host,
 To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
 By every tongue be given:
 And each will say in godly fear,
 "This is God's house, the Lord is here;
 And this the gate of heaven!"

Robert Hawker, D.D., 1827.



- 812 Jer. i. 9 "The Lord put forth His hand, and touched my mouth." Tune SEIR. 77, 77. D.
 - 1 SOURCE of light and power Divine,
 Deign upon Thy truth to shine:
 Lord, behold Thy servant stands;
 Lo! to Thee we lift our hands:
 Satisfy our soul's desire,
 Touch his lips with holy fire;
 Source of light and power Divine,
 Deign upon Thy truth to shine.
- 2 Breathe Thy Spirit! so shall fall
 Unction sweet upon us all;
 Till, by odours scattered round,
 Christ Himself be traced and found:
 Then shall every raptured heart,
 Rich in peace and joy, depart:
 Source of light and power Divine,
 Deign upon Thy truth to shine!
 Walter Skirley, 1774.

813 Hos. xiv. 5. "I will be as the dew."
Tune Godesberg. 87, 87. Or Salzburg.

1 As the dew from heaven distilling Gently on the grass descends, Richly unto all fulfilling. What Thy providence intends:
So may truth, Divine and gracious, To our waiting spirits prove; Bless and make it efficacious. In the children of Thy love.

In the children of Thy love.

2 Lord, behold this congregation,
All Thy promises fulfil;
From Thy holy habitation
Let the dew of life distil:
Let our cry come up before Thee,
Sweetest influence shed around;
So Thy people shall adore Thee,
And confess the joyful sound.

Thomas Kelly, 1804; and John Bulmer, 1835.

GODESBERG. [H. P. 185.]

NAYLAND; or, ST. STEPHEN.

[H. P. 47.]

814 Matt. xiii. 3. "Behold, a sower went forth to sow."

YE sons of earth, prepare the plough,
Break up your fallow ground;
The sower is gone forth to sow,
And scatter blessings round.

2 The seed that finds a stony soil
Shoots forth a hasty blade;
But ill repays the sower's toil,
Soon withered, scorched, and dead.

3 The thorny ground is sure to baulk All hopes of harvest there: We find a tall and sickly stalk, But not the fruitful ear. Tune NAYLAND. C. M.

4 The beaten path and highway side Receive the trust in vain; The watchful birds the spoil divide, And pick up all the grain.

5 But where the Lord of grace and power Has blessed the happy field, How plenteous is the golden store The deep-wrought furrows yield!

6 Father of mercies! we have need Of Thy preparing grace: Let the same Hand that gives the seed Provide a fruitful place! William Cowper, 1779.

PATMOS.

[H. P. 147.]

(4) CLOSE OF PUBLIC WORSHIP.

815 Acts xx. 32. "I commend you to God, and to the word of His grace."

Tune Patmos. 77,77

1 CHRISTIAN brethren, ere we part, Let us each with grateful heart Once more to our Father raise Our united hymns of praise.

2 Here perhaps we meet no more; But we seek a brighter shore, Where, above all sin and pain, Brethren, we shall meet again.

3 To the Triune God of heaven Love and praise be ever given, Here, and by His hosts above, Endless praise, adoring love!

Henry Kirke White, 1806. (a.)

816 Ps. iii. 8. "Thy blessing is upon Thy people."
Tune GODESBERG. 87, 87, 77, 87.

OF Thy love some gracious token Grant us, Lord, before we go; Bless Thy word which has been spoken; Life and peace on all bestow; When we join the world again, Let our hearts with Thee remain:

Oh, direct us,

And protect us,

Till the heavenly shore we gain!

Thomas Kelly, 1804.



1 Sam. i. 17. "Go in peace: and the God of Israel grant thee thy petition." 817

> Tune DISMISSAL. 87, 87, 47.

1 LORD, dismiss us with Thy blessing. Let us each, Thy love possessing,
Triumph in redeeming grace: Oh, refresh us! Travelling through this wilderness.

2 Thanks we give, and adoration, For Thy gospel's joyful sound: May the fruits of Thy salvation In our hearts and lives abound; May Thy presence With us evermore be found!

3 So whene'er the signal's given, Us from earth to call away, Borne on angels' wings to heaven, Glad the summons to obey,
We shall surely
Reign with Christ in endless day!

Walter Shirley, 1774.

818 2 Cor. xiii. 14. "The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ."

Tune DISMISSAL (repeating last two strains).

1 MAY the grace of Christ our Saviour, And the Father's boundless love, With the Holy Spirit's favour, Rest upon us from above:

87, 87. D. Or SALZBURG.

Thus may we abide in union With each other and the Lord; And possess, in sweet communion, Joys which earth cannot afford! John Newton, 1779.

DURHAM. FH. P. 330.1

(5) THE CLOSE OF THE LORD'S DAY.

819 Ps. lxv. 8. "Thou makest . . . the evening to rejoice." Tune DURHAM. 77.77. Or VIENNA.

1 RE another sabbath's close, Ere again we seek repose, Lord, our song ascends to Thee; At Thy feet we bow the knee.

2 Cold our services have been. Mingled every prayer with sin; But Thou canst and wilt forgive; By Thy grace alone we live.

- 3 Whilst this thorny path we tread, May Thy love our footsteps lead; When our journey here is past, May we rest with Thee at last.
- 4 Let these earthly sabbaths prove Foretastes of our joys above;
 While their steps Thy pilgrims bend
 To the rest that knows no end!

 B. W. Noel's Selection, 1832.

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Ps. xxii. 27. "All the kindreds of the nations shall worship before Thee." Tune St. GREGORY. L. M.

1 MILLIONS within Thy courts have met, Millions this day before Thee bowed; Their faces Zionward were set, Vows with their lips to Thee they vowed.

2 But Thou, soul-searching God! hast known The hearts of all that bent the knee, And hast accepted those alone, In spirit and truth that worshipped Thee. Or TALLIS'S CANON.

3 People of many a tribe and tongue, Men of strange colours, climates, lands, Have heard Thy truth, Thy glory sung, And offered prayer with holy hands.

4 Still, as the light of morning broke O'er island, continent, or deep,
Thy far-spread family awoke,
Sabbath all round the world to keep. ST. GREGORY.

[H. P. 259.]



5 From east to west the sun surveyed, From north to south, adoring throngs; And still, when evening stretched her shade, The stars came out to hear their songs.

6 Yet one prayer more !- and be it one, In which both heaven and earth accord,-Fulfil Thy promise to Thy Son, Let all that breathe call Jesus Lord! James Montgomery, 1853.

Cant. iv. 16. "Blow upon My garden, that the spices thereof may flow out."

Tune St. GREGORY. L. M. Or DALMATIA.

- 1 NOW let our heavenly plants and flowers Diffuse a fragrance more Divine;
 Refreshed by the sweet Sabbath showers,
 With richer beauty they should shine.
- 2 We have been wafted for a while Far, far away from this low scene: Been cheered by our Redeemer's smile, Been suffered on His-breast to lean.

- 3 What has He taught us? what should be The fruit of intercourse so blest? Oh, should not all around us see His image on our souls imprest?
- 4 Within this ivory palace fair
 We entered, a much favoured train;
 Myrrh, aloes. cassia, filled the air, Our garments should the scent retain.
- 5 And we should pass along the earth, Like birds that live upon the wing; Rise to the country of our birth. And on our way its anthems sing! Charlotte Elliott, 1339.

THYATIRA. (HYMN CHANT.) [H. P. No. V.]

822 Luke xxiv. 29. "Abide with us, for it is toward evening."

Tune, Hymn Chant THYATIRA. 888.6.

1 THE Sabbath day has reached its close! Yet, Saviour, ere I seek repose, Grant me the peace Thy love bestows, Smile on my evening hour!

2 O heavenly Comforter, sweet Guest! Hallow and calm my troubled breast, Weary I come to Thee for rest. Smile on my evening hour!

3 If ever I have found it sweet To worship at my Saviour's feet, Now to my soul that bliss repeat. Smile on my evening hour!

4 Let not the gospel seed remain Unfruitful, or be lost again; Let heavenly dews descend like rain. Smile on my evening hour!

5 Oh! ever present, ever nigh, Jesus, on Thee I fix mine eye: Thou hear'st the contrite spirit's sigh. Smile on my evening hour!

6 My only Intercessor Thou, Mingle Thy fragrant incense now With every prayer and every vow. Smile on my evening hour!

7 And oh! when life's short course shall end, And death's dark shades around impend,
My God, my everlasting Friend,
Smile on my evening hour!

Charlotte Elliott, 1839.

(6) DEPRIVED OF PUBLIC WORSHIP FOR A

SEASON. Luke xxiv. 15. "Jesus Himself drew near, and went with them.'

Tune, Hymn Chant THYATIRA. 88, 84. Or JEZREEL.

1 I WANT a sabbath talk with Thee; I ask Thee for one little word; Alone, alone! draw near_to me, Dear risen Lord!

2 Oh, join Thyself to me, and deign To commune as in days foregone; As once Thou talkedst with the twain, So with the one.

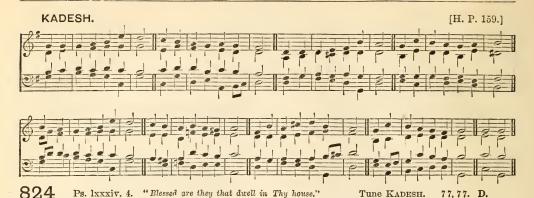
3 Their sabbath journey, e'en like mine, Without a present Lord, was sad; Like them, I want the voice Divine, To make me glad.

4 Draw near; and make my heart to burn, And open Thou the living word, And talk of sweet things that concern Thyself, my Lord.

5 Unfold the wonders of Thy grace; Make hidden meanings clear and plain; And through each glowing scripture trace Love's golden chain.

6 Mine eyes are holden! draw Thou near; And break the bread, and pour the wine:
The strength, the sweetness, and the cheer,
All, all are Thine:

Jane Crewdson, 1860.



1 PLEASANT are Thy courts above,
In the land of light and love;
Pleasant are Thy courts below,

In this land of sin and woe.
Oh! my spirit longs and faints
For the fellowship of saints;
For the brightness of Thy face,
King of glory, God of grace.

2 Happy birds that sing and fly Round Thine altars, O Most High; Happier souls that find a rest In their heavenly Father's breast: Like the wandering dove that found No repose on earth around, They can to Thine ark repair, And enjoy it ever there.

ouse." Tune KADESH. 77,77. I
3 Happy souls! their praises flow,
Even in this vale of woe:
Waters in the desert rise,
Manna feeds them from the skies:
On they go from strength to strength,
Till they see Thy face at length,
At Thy feet adoring fall
Who hast led them safe through all.

4 Lord, be mine this prize to win:
Guide me through a world of sin;
Keep me by Thy saving grace;
Give me at Thy side a place:
Sun and Shield alike Thou art,
Guide and guard my erring heart;
Grace and glory flow from Thee,
Shower, oh shower them, Lord, on me!

Henry Francis Lyte, 1834.



(7) RESTORED TO PUBLIC WORSHIP.

825 Ps. exvi. 14. "I will pay my vows unto the Lord." Tune YORK. C. M. Or BESOR.

1 WHAT shall I render to my God For all His kindness shown? My feet shall visit Thine abode, My songs address Thy throne. 2 Among the saints that fill Thy house My offerings shall be paid; There shall my zeal perform the vows My soul in anguish made.

3 How happy all Thy servants are!
How great Thy grace to me!
My life which Thou hast made Thy care,
Lord, I devote to Thee!

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1719.

THEME VII .- Special Serbices.

(1) FOUNDATION, DEDICATION, OR CONSECRATION OF A CHURCH.

826 Chron. vi. 18. "But will God in very deed dwell with men on the earth?"

Tune OLD HUNDREDTH. L. M.

1 THIS stone to Thee in faith we lay;
We build the temple, Lord, to Thee;
Thine eye be open night and day,
To guard this house and sanctuary.

2 Here, when Thy people seek Thy face, And dying sinners pray to live, Hear Thou, in heaven, Thy dwelling-place, And when Thou hearest, oh, forgive!

3 Here, when Thy messengers proclaim The blessèd gospel of Thy Son, Still, by the power of His great name Be mighty signs and wonders done.



4 But will indeed Jehovah deign Here to abide, no transient guest? Here will the world's Redeemer reign, And here the Holy Spirit rest? 5 That glory never hence depart!
Yet choose not, Lord, this house alone:
Thy kingdom come to every heart,
In every bosom fix Thy throne.

James Montgomery, 1519.

827 Eph. ii. 20. "Christ Himself being the chief Corner Stone."

Tune DARWELL. 6666, 88. Or MORIAH.

1 CHRIST is our Corner Stone,
On Him alone we build;
With His true saints alone
The courts of heaven are filled;
On His great love Our hopes we place
of present grace And joys above.

2 Oh, then with hymns of praise
These hallowed courts shall ring;
Our voices we will raise
The Three in One to sing;
And thus proclaim In joyful song
Both loud and long That glorious Name.

Both loud and long That glorious Nan 3 Here, gracious God, do Thou For evermore draw nigh; Accept each faithful vow,

Accept each faithful vow,
And mark each suppliant sigh:
In copious shower On all who pray
Each holy day Thy blessings pour.

4 Here may we gain from heaven

4 Here may we gain from heaven The grace which we implore; See Hymns 799, 800, 810.



And may that grace, once given, Until that day When all the blest Be with us evermore, To endless rest Are called away!

Latin Humn. circa 8th Century: J. Chandler (tr.), 1837.

(2) CHOIR MEETINGS.

828 ² Chron. v. 13. "The singers were as one . . to be heard in praising and thanking the Lord."

Tune ZARED II. 85, 85, 84 3.

ANGEL voices ever singing
Round Thy throne of light,
Angel harps for ever ringing,
Rest not day nor night;
We would join with them to bless Thee,

Rest not day nor night;
We would join with them to bless Thee
And confess Thee, Lord of might!

Thou, who art beyond the farthest

Mortal eye can scan, Can it be that Thou regardest Songs of sinful man? Can we feel that Thou art near us, And wilt hear us? Yea! we can.

3 Lord, we know that Thou rejoicest
O'er each work of Thine;
Thou didst ears, and hands, and voices,
For Thy praise combine;
Craftsman's art and music's measure

For Thy pleasure Didst design.

In Thy house, great God, we offer

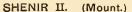
4 In Thy house, great God, we offer Of Thine own to Thee, And for Thine acceptance proffer, All unworthily, Hearts, and minds, and hands, and

voices,
In our choicest Melody.



5 Honour, glory, might, and merit, Thine shall ever be, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, Blessed Trinity!

Of the best that Thou hast given. Earth and heaven Render Thee! Francis Pott, 1861. (a.)



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(3) PRAYER MEETINGS.

829 Isa. xlv. 19. "I said not, . . . Seek ye Me in vain."

Tune Shenir II. 77,77. Or Luxemburg.

1 LORD, we come before Thee now, At Thy feet we humbly bow; Oh, do not our suit disdain: Shall we seek Thee, Lord, in vain?

2 In Thy own appointed way Now we seek Thee, here we stay; Lord, from hence we would not go, Till a blessing Thou bestow.

3 Send some message from Thy word, That may joy and peace afford; Let Thy Spirit now impart Full salvation to each heart.

4 Grant that those who seek may find Thee a God supremely kind; Heal the sick, the captive free; Let us all rejoice in Thee!

William Hammond, 1745. (a.)

Matt. xviii. 20. "Where two or three are gathered together in My name, there am I in the

Tune SHENIR II. 77, 77. Or VIENNA.

- JESUS, we Thy promise claim, We are gathered in Thy name; In the midst do Thou appear; Manifest Thy presence here.
- 2 Sanctify us, Lord, and bless; Breathe Thy Spirit, give Thy peace; Come, and dwell within each heart, Light, and life, and joy impart.
- 3 Make us all in Thee complete, Make us all for glory meet; Meet to' appear before Thy sight, Partners with the saints in light!

Charles Wesley, 1740.

831 Acts vi. 4. "We will give ourselves continually to prayer."

Tune Godesberg. 87, 87.

1 LET us pray! the Lord is willing, Ever waiting, prayer to hear; Ready, His kind words fulfilling, Loving hearts to help and cheer. 2 Let us pray! our God with blessing

Satisfies the praying soul!
Bends to hear the heart's confessing,
Moulding it to His control.

3 Let us pray! though fees surrounding

3 Let us pray! though foes surrounding Vex and trouble, and dismay; Precious grace, through Christ abounding, Still shall cheer us on our way.

4 Let us pray! our life is praying;
Prayer with time alone may cease;
Then in heaven, God's will obeying,
Life is praise and perfect peace!
Henry Bateman, 1862.



MELCOMBE.

H. P. 24.



832 Ps. exxxiii. 3, "The Lord commanded the blessing."

Tune MELCOMBE. L. M. Or WALDECK.

- 1 COMMAND Thy blessing from above, O God, on all assembled here; Behold us with a Father's love, While we look up with filial fear.
- 2 Command Thy blessing, Jesus, Lord; May we Thy true disciples be; Speak to each heart the mighty word; Say to the weakest, "Follow Me."
- 3 Command Thy blessing in this hour, Spirit of Truth, and fill this place With humbling and exalting power, With quickening and confirming grace.

4 O Thou, our Maker, Saviour, Guide! One true eternal God confessed; May nought in life or death divide The saints in Thy communion blessed.

5 With Thee, and these, for ever bound, May all, who here in prayer unite, With harps and songs Thy throne surround, Rest in Thy love, and reign in light! James Montgomery, 1816.

Heb. x. 22. "Let us draw near." 833 Tune LEBANON. 86, 86, 88,

1 LORD, when before Thy throne we meet, Thy goodness to adore,
From heaven, the eternal mercy-seat,
On us Thy blessing pour; And make our inmost souls to be A habitation meet for Thee.

2 Be Thou, O Holy Spirit, nigh; Accept the humble prayer, The contrite soul's repentant sigh, The sinner's heartfelt tear: And let our adoration rise, As fragrant incense, to the skies! T. G. Nicholas, 1938.



834 Exod. xxv. 22. "I will commune with thee from above the mercy-seat."

Tune Melcombe.

L. M.

1 FROM every stormy wind that blows. From every swelling tide of woes, There is a calm, a safe retreat; 'Tis found beneath the mercy-seat.

2 There is a place where Jesus sheds The oil of gladness o'er our heads; A place than all beside more sweet; It is the blood-stained mercy-seat.

3 There is a spot where spirits blend, Where friend holds fellowship with friend: Though sundered far, by faith we meet Around our common mercy-seat.

- 4 Ah! whither could we flee for aid, When tempted, desolate, dismayed; Or how the hosts of hell defeat, Had suffering saints no mercy-seat?
- 5 There, there, on eagle wings we soar, And time and sense seem all no more, And heaven comes down our souls to greet, And glory crowns the mercy-seat.
- 6 Oh! let my hands forget their skill, My tongue be silent, cold, and still, This bounding heart forget to beat, If I forget the mercy-seat!

Hugh Stowell, 1832. (a.)

PATMOS. 「H. P. 147.7

"My meditation of Him shall be Ps. civ. 34. sweet."

> Tune Patmos. 77.77.

1 SWEET the time, exceeding sweet, When the saints together meet, When the Saviour is the theme, When they join to sing of Him.

2 Sing we then eternal love, Such as did the Father move; When He saw the world undone, Loved the world, and gave His Son. 3 Sing the Son's amazing love, How He left the realms above, Took our nature and our place, Lived and died to save our race.

4 Sing we too the Spirit's love; With our wretched hearts He strove; Turned our feet from ways of shame. Made us trust in Jesu's name.

5 Sweet the place, exceeding sweet, Where the saints in glory meet; Where the Saviour is the theme, Where they see, and sing of Him!

George Burder, 1784. (a.)



Acts i. 14. "All continued with a IF 'tis sweet to mingle where I Christians meet for social prayer—If 'tis sweet with them to raise Songs of holy joy and praise—Passing sweet that state must be Where they meet eternally.

2 Saviour, may these meetings prove Preparations from above; While we worship in this place, May we go from grace to grace, Till we, each in his degree, Meet for endless glory be! Ingram Cobbin, 1823.



(4) TIMES OF REFRESHING.

837 Ezek. xxxiv. 26. "There shall be showers of blessing."

Tune Havilah. 87, 87, 87. Or IDUMEA.

1 "GHOWERS of blessing!" gracious promise,
From the God who rules on high:
From the everlasting Father,
He who will not, cannot lie.
Showers of blessing
He has promised from the sky.

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"Showers of blessing!" joyful showers,

Making every heart rejoice.
Come, ye saints, and plead the promise,
Raise in faith the suppliant voice;
Showers of blessing,
Oh! let nothing less suffice!

Albert Midlane, 1865.



STUTTGARD.

[H. P. 182.]



Ezek. xxxiv. 26. "I will cause the shower to come down in his season."

1 FATHER, for Thy promised blessing
Still we plead before Thy throne;
For the times of sweet refreshing,
Which can come from Thee alone.

4 Wake Thy slu
Bid them to
Blessings, O ou
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2 Blessèd earnests Thou hast given; But in these we would not rest, Blessings still with Thee are hidden: Pour them forth, and make us blest,

3 Prayer ascendeth to Thee ever: Answer, Father! answer prayer: Bless, oh, bless each weak endeavour, Blood-bought pardon to declare! down in his season." Tune STUTTGARD. 87, 87.
 4 Wake Thy slumbering children, wake them, Bid them to Thy harvest go;

Bid them to Thy harvest go; Blessings, O our Father, make them: Round their steps let blessings flow.

5 Give reviving, give refreshing, Give the looked-for jubilee; To Thyself may crowds be pressing, Bringing glory unto Thee.

6 Let no hamlet be forgotten, Let Thy showers on all descend; That in one loud blessed anthem Myriads may in triumph blend! Albert Midlane, 1965.



Gen. xxvii. 38. "Bless me, even me also, O my Father."

Tune Persis. 87, 87, 3.

- 1 LORD, I hear of showers of blessing Thou art scattering full and free; Showers the thirsty land refreshing: Let some droppings fall on me, Even me.
- 2 Pass me not, O gracious Father!
 Sinful though my heart may be;
 Thou might'st curse me, but the rather
 Let Thy mercy light on me.
 Even me.
- 3 Pass me not, O tender Saviour! Let me love and cling to Thee; I am longing for Thy favour; When Thou comest, call for me, Even me,

- 4 Pass me not, O mighty Spirit!
 Thou canst make the blind to see;
 Witnesser of Jesu's merit,
 Speak the word of power to me,
 Even me.
- 5 Have I long in sin been sleeping, Long been slighting, grieving Thee? Has the world my heart been keeping? Oh, forgive and rescue me, Even me.
- 6 Love of God, so pure and changeless, Blood of God, so rich and free, Grace of God, so strong and boundless, Magnify them all in me,
- 7 Pass me not, this lost one bringing; Satan's slave Thy child shall be; All my heart to Thee is springing; Blessing others, oh, bless me,

Even me! Elizabeth Codner, 1860.



840 Hab. iii. 2. "O Lord, revive Thy work."

1 REVIVE Thy work, O Lord,
Thy mighty arm make bare;
Speak with the voice that wakes the dead,
And make Thy people hear.

2 Revive Thy work, O Lord, Disturb this sleep of death; Quicken the smouldering embers now By Thine almighty breath.

3 Revive Thy work, O Lord, Create soul-thirst for Thee:

MELCOMBE.

Tune NARENZA. S. M.

And hungering for the bread of life O may our spirits be!

4 Revive Thy work, O Lord, Exalt Thy precious name; And, by the Holy Ghost, our love For Thee and Thine inflame.

5 Revive Thy work, O Lord, And give refreshing showers; The glory shall be all Thine own, The blessing, Lord, be ours!

The blessing, Lord, be ours! Albert Midlane, 1865.

[H. P. 24.]



Ps. lxxxv. 6. "Wilt Thou not revive us again?"

Tune Melcombe. L. M.

OH for that flame of living fire Which shone so bright in saints of old! Which bade their souls to heaven aspire, Calm in distress, in danger bold!

2 Where is that spirit, Lord, which dwelt
In Abraham's breast, and sealed him Thine?
Which made Paul's heart with sorrow melt,
And glow with energy Divine?
See Hymns 867—869, 1041, 1048, 1056, 1057, 1064, 1084, 1093.

3 Is not Thy grace as mighty now
As when Elijah felt its power?
When glory beamed from Moses' brow,
Or Job endured the trying hour?
4 Remember, Lord, the ancient days;
Renew Thy work, Thy grace restore;

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Renew Thy work, Thy grace restore;
Warm our cold hearts to prayer and praise,
And teach us how to love Thee more!
4, 1084, 1093. William Hiley Bathurst, 1831.

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(5) MOTHERS' MEETINGS.

842 Luke ii. 51. "His mother kept all these sayings in her heart."

Tune Patmos. 77,77. Or VIENNA.

- 1 JESUS, Thou wast once a child, Meek, obedient, pure, and mild; Such may our dear children be! Teach them, Lord, to follow Thee.
- 2 Thou didst grow in grace and truth Up from infancy to youth; May we, Lord, our children see Striving thus to copy Thee.
- 3 Subject to Thy parents' word, When their least command was heard, May we, Lord, our children see Thus obedient unto Thee!
- 4 At Thy heavenly Father's voice, Thou in duty didst rejoice; Changed by grace, O Lord, would we See our children follow Thee!

James Gabb, 1864. (a.)

843 Mark x. 13. "They brought young children to Him."

Tune PATMOS. 77,77.

1 GOD of mercy, hear our prayer
For the children Thou hast given;
Let them all Thy blessings share,
Grace on earth, and bliss in heaven!

2 In the morning of their days
May their hearts be drawn to Thee;
Let them learn to lisp Thy praise
In their earliest infancy.

3 Cleanse their souls from every stain,
Through the Saviour's precious blood;
Let them all be born again,
And be reconciled to God.

4 For this mercy, Lord, we cry;
Bend Thine ever-gracious ear;
While on Thee our souls rely,
Hear our prayer, in mercy hear!

Thomas Hastings, 1834.

THEME VIII. — Hational Occasions.



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Prov. viii. 15. "By Me kings reign."

O KING of Kings, Thy blessing shed On our anointed sovereign's head; And, looking from Thy throne in heaven, Protect the crown Thyself hast given.

2 Her, for Thy sake, may we obey; Uphold her right, and love her sway; Remembering, all the powers that be Are ministers ordained by Thee. Tune CRASSELIUS. L. M.

3 By her this favoured nation bless; To her wise counsels give success; In peace, in war, Thine aid be seen; Confirm her strength; oh, save our Queen!

4 And when all earthly thrones decay, And earthly glories fade away, Give her a nobler crown on high, A crown of immortality.

Thomas Cotterill, 1819. (a.)



845 1 Sam. x. 24. "God save the king."
Tune NATIONAL ANTHEM. 664,6664.

1 GOD save our gracious Queen, Long live our noble Queen! God save the Queen! Send her victorious, Happy and glorious, Long to reign over us: God save the Queen.

2 O Lord our God, arise; Scatter her enemies, And make them fall: Confound their politics, Frustrate their knavish tricks; On Thee our hopes we fix: God save us all.

3 Thy choicest gifts in store On her be pleased to pour; Long may she reign: May she defend our laws, And ever give us cause To sing with heart and voice, God save the Queen!



Circa 1606. (a.)

HOBAH. [H. P. 248.]

846 Eph. v. 25. "Christ also loved the Church."

1 THE Church of our fathers! so dear to our souls;

Ay, dear as the life-blood within us that rolls! We'll rally around her, by dangers unawed: The Church of our fathers! the Church of our God! dear as the life-blood within us that rolls!

- 2 Built on the apostles and prophets alone, On Jesus, the Saviour and Chief Corner Stone: The winds may arise, and her prospects deform; She fears not the tempest, she dreads not the storm.
- 3 Her Cranmers, her Ridleys, for truth nobly stood; Her rights and her charters they signed with their blood;

Tune HOBAH. 11 11, 11 11.

Asserted her freedom, and sent forth abroad The light and the truth of the pure word of God.

- 4 The people may rage, and the Papists assail; No weapon against her shall ever prevail. The Church of our fathers for ages hath stood, Cemented and sealed by our ancestors' blood.
- 5 From the Church of our fathers we'll never depart : She's entwined round each fibre, each nerve of our heart:

The Church of our fathers! our glory and crown, We will, unimpaired, to our children hand down! Felicia D. Hemans, 1834.

Ps. lxxix. 9. "Help us, O God of our salvation, for the glory of Thy name."

Tune LILLINGSTON. 11 11 11, 5,

1 TORD of our life, and God of our salvation, Star of our night, and Hope of every

nation, Hear and receive Thy church's supplication, Lord God Almighty.

2 See round Thine ark the angry billows curling. See how Thy foes their banners are

unfurling; Lord, while their darts envenomed

they are hurling, Thou canst preserve us.

3 Lord, Thou canst help when earthly armour faileth, Lord, Thou canst save when deadly sin assaileth, Lord, o'er Thy Rock nor death nor hell prevaileth; Grant us Thy peace, Lord.



4 Grant us Thy help till foes are backward driven, Grant them Thy truth, that they may be forgiven, Grant peace on earth, and, after we have striven, Peace in Thy heaven! Eighth Century (tr. 1856).



Ps. lxxxv. 9. "That glory may dwell in our land."

Tune Iona. C. M.

1 SHINE, mighty God, on Britain shine,
With beams of heavenly grace;
Reveal Thy power through all our coasts,
And show Thy smiling face.

2 Amidst our isle, exalted high, Do Thou, our glory, stand, And, like a wall of guardian fire, Surround this favoured land.

3 When shall Thy name, from shore to shore, Sound all the earth abroad; And distant nations know and love

And distant nations know and love Their Saviour and their God? 4 Sing to the Lord, ye distant lands, Sing loud, with solemn voice; While British tongues exalt His praise, And British hearts rejoice.

5 Earth shall obey her Maker's will, And yield a full increase; Our God will crown His chosen isle With fruitfulness and peace.

6 God, the Redeemer, scatters round
His choicest favours here;
While the creation's utmost bound
Shall see, adore, and fear!
Isaac Watts, D.D., 1719.

NOTTINGHAM; or, ST. MAGNUS.



849 Deut. xi. 12. "A land which the Lord thy God careth for."

Tune Nottingham. C. M.

1 LORD, while for all mankind we pray, Of every clime and coast, Oh hear us for our native land— The land we love the most.

2 Our fathers' sepulchres are here,
And here our kindred dwell:
Our children too—how should we love
Another land so well!
See Hymn 863.

3 Oh guard our shores from every foe, With peace our borders bless; With prosperous times our cities crown, Our fields with plenteousness.

4 Unite us in the sacred love Of knowledge, truth, and Thee; And let our hills and valleys shout The songs of liberty. 5 Lord of the nations! thus to Thee

Our country we commend;
Be Thou her refuge and her trust,
Her everlasting Friend!
John Reynell Wreford, D.D., 1840.

KADESH.

[H. P. 159.]

(2) HARVEST.

Lev. xxiii. 39. "When we have gathered in the fruit of the land, we shall keep a feast unto the Lord."

Tune Kadesh. 77, 77. D. Or Hestidon.

1 COME ye thankful people, come, ltaise the song of harvest-home! All is safely gathered in.
Ere the winter storms begin:

God our Maker doth provide For our wants to be supplied: Come to God's own temple, come, Raise the song of harvest-home!

- 2 All the world is God's own field, Fruit unto His praise to yield; Wheat and tares together sown, Unto joy or sorrow grown: First the blade, and then the ear, Then the full corn shall appear: Lord of harvest, grant that we Wholesome grain and pure may be.
- 3 For the Lord our God shall come And shall take His harvest home: From His field shall in that day All offences purge away:

See Hymn 646.

Give His angels charge at last In the fire the tares to cast; But the fruitful ears to store In His garner evermore.

4 Even so, Lord, quickly come,
To Thy final harvest-home;
Gather Thou Thy people in,
Free from sorrow, free from sin;
There for ever purified,
In Thy presence to abide:
Come, with all Thine angels, come,
Raise the glorious Harvest-home!

Dean Alford, D.D., 1844; revised, 1864.



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Isa. ix. 3. "The joy in harvest."

- 1 EARTH below is teeming, Heaven is bright above;
 Every brow is beaming In the light of love:
 Every eye rejoices. Every thought is praise;
 Happy hearts and voices Gladden nights and days:
 O Almighty Giver, bountiful and free!
 As the joy in harvest, joy we before Thee.
- 2 Every youth and maiden On the harvest plain, Round the wagons laden With their golden grain, Swell the happy chorus On the evening air, Unto Him who o'er us Bends with constant care: O Almighty Giver, etc.

Tune HERMAS. 65, 65. D. and Chorus.

- 3 For the sun and showers, For the rain and dew, For the happy hours Spring and summer knew; For the golden autumn And its precious stores, For the love that brought them Teeming to our doors:
- O Almighty Giver. etc.
 4 Earth's broad harvest whitens In a brighter Sun
 Than the orb that lightens All we tread upon:
 Send out labourers, Father! Where fields ripening

wave;
And the nations gather, Gather in and save.
O Almighty Giver, Bountiful and free!
Then as joy in harvest, we shall joy in Thee!

J. S. B. Monsell, LL.D., 1863.

852 Ps. lxv. 13. "The valleys are covered over with corn; they shout for joy, they also sing."

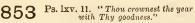
Tune Moscow. 664, 6664.

- 1 THE God of harvest praise:
 In loud thanksgiving raise
 Hand, heart, and voice:
 The valleys laugh and sing;
 Forests and mountains ring;
 The plains their tribute bring;
 The streams rejoice.
- 2 Yea, bless His holy name,
 And joyous thanks proclaim
 Through all the earth:
 To glory in your lot
 Is comely; but be not
 God's benefits forgot
 Amid your mirth!
- 3 The God of harvest praise; Hands, hearts, and voices raise With sweet accord:



From field to garner throng, Bearing your sheaves along, And in your harvest song Bless ye the Lord.

James Montgomery, 1833.



Tune ABILENE. 77, 77. Or LUBECK. 1 PRAISE to God, immortal praise, For the love that crowns our days!

Bounteous Source of every joy, Let Thy praise our tongues employ.

2 For the blessings of the field, For the stores the gardens yield, For the joy which harvests bring, Grateful praises now we sing.

3 Clouds that drop refreshing dews; Suns that genial heat diffuse; Flocks that whiten all the plain; Yellow sheaves of ripened grain.

4 All that Spring with bounteous hand Scatters o'er the smiling land; All that liberal Autumn pours From her overflowing stores:

5 These, great God, to Thee we owe, Source whence all our blessings flow;



And for these our souls shall raise Grateful vows and solemn praise.

Anna L. Barbauld, 1773.

GOSHEN.

[H. P. 125.]

Matt. iii. 12. "He will gather His wheat into the garner."

OUR faithful God hath sent us A fruitful harvest tide; He summer boons hath lent us, And winter wants supplied.

2 The fields, at His ordaining. Stand thick with golden sheaves; And man, full oft complaining, New bounty now receives.

3 Though Mercy largely giveth, Is Justice pacified? We live through Him who liveth, The "Corn of Wheat" that died.

4 Then full be our thanksgiving. And clear each note of joy; While faith and holy living Our earnest thoughts employ. Tune Goshen. 76, 76,

5 And at the last great reaping, When Christ His sheaves will May we, no longer weeping, [own, Be garnered near His throne.

6 Praise we the Godhead-Union, The Eternal Three in One: With Them may our communion For ever be begun! William Henry Havergal, 1863.

ZOAN I. (Field of).

[H. P. 127.]



"Thou openest Thine hand." Ps. cxlv. 16. Tune Zoan I. 76, 76. D.

1 O NATION, Christian nation, Lift high the hymn of praise! The God of our salvation
Is love in all His ways!

He blesseth us, and feedeth Each creature of His hand: He succours him that needeth,

And gladdens all the land.

2 Rejoice, ye happy people, And peal the changing chime

From every belfried steeple,

In symphony sublime; Let cottage and let palace Be thankful and rejoice, And woods, and hills, and valleys, Re-echo the glad voice!

3 Oh! praise the Hand that giveth, And giveth evermore, To every soul that liveth,

Abundance flowing o'er!

For every soul He filleth With manna from above, And over all distilleth The unction of His love.

To God the loving Father, Who biddeth us rejoice, Let all within His temple Lift high their thankful voice:

To Jesus, our Redeemer, On His bright throne in heaven, And Holy Ghost the Comforter, All praise and might be given! Martin F. Tupper, 1846.

Hab. iii. 17, 18. "Although the fields shall yield no meat, yet I will rejoice in the Lord."
Tune Sihor. 77, 77, 77.

To be used when there is deficiency in the crops.]

WHAT our Father does is well;

Blessed truth His children tell!

Though He send, for plenty, want, Though the harvest store be scant, Yet we rest upon His love, Seeking better things above.

2 What our Father does is well; Shall the wilful heart rebel? If a blessing He withhold In the field, or in the fold, Is it not Himself to be All our store eternally?

3 What our Father does is well; Though He sadden hill and dell, Upward yet our praises rise For the strength His word supplies. He has called us sons of God, Can we murmur at His rod?

4 What our Father does is well; May the thought within us dwell; Though nor milk nor honey flow In our barren Canaan now, God can save us in our need, God can bless us, God can feed.

5 Therefore unto Him we raise Hymns of glory, songs of praise; To the Father, and the Son, And the Spirit, Three in One, Honour, might, and glory be, Now, and through eternity!



Benj. Schmolke, 1704; Rev. Sir H. W. Baker (tr.), 1861.



(3) WAR AND PEACE

857 Isa. ii. 4. "He shall rebuke many people."
Tune TEKOA. 87, 87, 87.

1 ART Thou, Lord, rebuking nations?
Hast Thou bared Thy glittering sword?
War, commotions, tribulations,
Are they marching at Thy word?
Shield us, Saviour, With Thy favour,
When Thy vials are outpoured!

2 If Thy judgments now are waking, Let not Thy compassion sleep: But, while earthly powers are shaking, Firm and free Thy kingdom keep. Jesu, hear us, Be Thou near us, When the storm shall round us sweep

3 Courage, saints, your fears assuaging, Chant a bold and blissful strain! Holy seers, of peace presaging, Bid us hail Messiah's reign. Strife, sedition, Superstition, Then no votaries shall gain.

4 Warrior hosts, no longer mustering, Cease the gleaming lance to wield: Now they watch the fruitage clustering; Now they crop the sunny field. Thus shall sadness Change to gladness, When Messiah is revealed.

5 Prince of Peace, let every nation Soon Thy Spirit's empire own; Bow the world in supplication: Bring the heathen to Thy throne! Earth possessing Boundless blessing Then shall honour Thee alone! William Henry Havergal, 1831.



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Ps. cxlvii. 14. "He maketh peace."

- 1 GIVE peace in these our days, O Lord! Times of great peril are at hand; Thine enemies, with one accord, Christ's name blaspheme in every land.
- 2 Give us that peace that we do lack Through unbelief and evil life; Thy word to give Thou dost not slack, Which we unkindly use for strife.

Tune HERMON. L. M.

- 3 Give peace, O Lord! Thy Spirit send;
 With grief, and with repentance true,
 Pierce Thou our hearts, our lives amend,
 And by true faith in Christ renew.
- 4 Give peace, and grant that fear and dread—
 Through Thy sweet mercy, Lord, and grace—
 May fly, and truth lift up her head,
 And dwell and shine in every place!
 Sternhold and Hopkins' Psalms, 1562.

KEDAR.

[H. P. 42.]



Ps. xlvi. 9. "He maketh wars to cease."

Tune KEDAR. C. M. Or GLOUCESTER.

- 1 HELP us, O Lord! with grateful minds To bow before Thy throne, And, with united thanks to Thee, Thy tender mercies own.
- 2 May we, from feared destruction saved, Our Ebenezer raise; And with our hearts, and lives, and tongues, Proclaim Thy wondrous praise.

See Hymn 49.

- 3 Oh, haste the glowing time, foretold In Thine unerring word; When, from the greatest to the least, All men shall serve the Lord.
- 4 No more let nations, learning war, In hostile rage appear, But into ploughshares beat the sword, To pruning-hooks the spear.
- 5 From Satan's long usurped domain, A sinful world release: Then with each other all shall dwell In universal peace!

Thomas Cotterill, 1810.

ST. MARY'S: or, HACKNEY.

[H. P. 73.]



(4) NATIONAL FAST AND HUMILIATION.

860 Neh. ix. 33. "Thou hast done right, but we have done wickedly." Tune St. MARY. C. I

- ALMIGHTY God, before Thy throne Thy mourning people bend,
 "Tis on Thy pardoning grace alone Our prostrate hopes depend.
- 2 Dire judgments from Thy heavy hand Thy dreadful power display; Yet mercy spares our guilty land. And still we live to pray.
- 3 Oh, turn us, turn us, mighty Lord, By Thy subduing grace: So shall our hearts obey Thy word, And we shall see Thy face.
- 4 If famine, plague, or foes invade, We shall not sink or fear, Secure of all-sufficient aid When God, our God, is near!

Anne Steele, 1760. (a.)



861 Dan. ix. 19. "O Lord, hear; O Lord, forgive."

- 1 DREAD Jehovah, God of nations, From Thy temple in the skies, Hear Thy people's supplications, Now for their deliverance rise.
- 2 Lo! with deep contrition turning, Humbly at Thy feet we bend; Hear us fasting, praying, mourning; Hear us, spare us, and defend.

Tune Bremen. 87, 87. Or Augsburg.

- 3 Though our sins, our hearts confounding, Long and loud for vengeance call, Thou hast mercy more abounding, Jesu's blood can cleanse them all.
- 4 Let that love veil our transgression; Let that blood our guilt efface; Save Thy people from oppression; Save from spoil Thy holy place!

C. F., 1804.



362 Joel i. 14. "Sanctify we a fast, call a solemn assembly."

Tune DUNDEE.

C. M.

- 1 THE solemn season calls us now A holy fast to keep;
 And see within the temple how Both priest and people weep.
- 2 But come not thou with tears alone, Or outward form of prayer; But let it in thy heart be known, That penitence is there.

See Hymn 552.

See Hymns 844-849.

- 3 Oh, let us then, with heartfelt grief, Draw near unto our God, And pray to Him to grant relief, And stay the' uplifted rod.
- 4 O righteous Judge, if Thou wilt deign To grant us all we need, We pray for time to turn again, And grace to turn indeed.
- 5 Blest Three in One, with grief sincere, To Thee we humbly pray, That fruits of mercy may appear, To bless this fasting day!

John Chandler (tr.), 18 7.



(5) NATIONAL THANKSGIVING AND REJOICING.

863 Ps. lxvii. 5. "Let the people praise Thee, O God."

1 LORD of heaven, and earth, and ocean, Hear us from Thy bright abode: While our hearts, with deep devotion, Own their great and gracious God.

2 Now with joy we come before Thee; Countless have Thy mercies been; Lord of life, and strength, and glory, Guard Thy Church, and guide our Queen. Tune Canterbury. 87, 87. Or Culbach.

- 3 Thee, with humble adoration, Lord, we praise for mercies past; Strength of this most favoured nation, May those mercies ever last;
- 4 May our sons appear before Thee, In Thy Church Thy praise be seen; Lord of life, and light, and glory, Bless Thy people—bless our Queen!

John Cross, 1812. (a.)



(6) PRAYER FOR THOSE AT SEA.

864 Ps. cvii. 24. "These see the works of the Lord, and His wonders in the deep."
Tune EATON. 88, 88, 88. Or MAON.

1 ETERNAL Father, strong to save,
Whose arm hath bound the restless
Who bidd'st the mighty ocean deep [wave,
Its own appointed limits keep;
Oh, hear us when we cry to Thee
For those in peril on the sea.

2 O Christ, whose voice the waters heard, And hushed their raging at Thy word, Who walkedst on the foaming deep, And calm amidst its rage didst sleep; Oh, hear us when we cry to Thee For those in peril on the sea.

3 Most Holy Spirit, who didst brood Upon the chaos dark and rude, And bid its angry tunult cease, And give, for wild confusion, peace; Oh, hear us when we cry to Thee For those in peril on the sea.

4 O Trinity of love and power, Our brethren shield in danger's hour; From rock and tempest, fire and foe, Protect them wheresoe'er they go: Thus evermore shall rise to Thee Glad hymns of praise from land and sea! William Whiting, 1860. (a.)

THEME IX. - Missions. I .- 3t yome.*

(1) SCHOOLS.

865 Luke ii. 51. "He was subject unto them."
Tune Purday. 87, 87, 77. Or Succoth.

1 BLESSED Jesus, Lord and Brother!
Once Thou wast a lowly child,
Subject to Thy Virgin-mother,
"Holy, harmless, undefiled;"
Wisdom, favour, grace, and truth,
Graced, like morning stars, Thy youth.

2 Great Redeemer, Mediator! Now Thou art enthroned in light; But Thou wearest still our nature, And all heaven admires the sight. Lord, to tender years impart Mercy's boon, the tender heart.

3 Jesu, by Thy childhood's favour, By Thy manhood's agony, Fill us with Thy Spirits savour, Train us for eternity: With the glittering hosts above, May we sing Thy boundless love!

William Henry Havergal, 1833.



866 Isa. liv. 13. "All thy children shall be taught of the Lord." Tune SALZBURG. 87, 87. D.

1 HEAVENLY Father, send Thy blessing
On Thy children gathered here;
May they all, Thy name confessing,
Be to Thee for ever dear.
May they be, like Joseph, loving,
Dutiful, and chaste, and pure,
And their faith, like David, proving,
Steadfast unto death endure.

2 Holy Saviour, who in meekness
Didst vouchsafe a child to be,
Guide their steps, and help their weakness;
Bless, and make them like to Thee;
Bear Thy lambs, when they are weary,
In Thine arms, and at Thy breast;
Through life's desent, dry and dreary,
Bring them to Thy heavenly rest.

Also, for Mission Services, Hymns 193, 353 to 356, 363, 372, 431, 465 to 493, 569, 600 to 603, 633, 690 to 717, 730, 830 to 840, 14, 1024, 423, 1041 to 1075, 817.

Or ESDRAELON.



(2) MISSION SERVICES. 867 Luke xiv. 13. "Call the poor." Tune Salzburg. 87, 87. D. 1 66 CALL them in!"—the poor, the wretched, Forth the Father runs to meet them, He hath all their sorrows seen; Robe and ring and royal sandals Wait the lost ones;—"call them in!" Sin-stained wanderers from the fold; Peace and pardon freely offer,— Can you weigh their worth with gold? "Call them in!"—the weak, the weary, 3 "Call them in!"—the broken-hearted, Cowering neath the brand of shame; Speak love's message, low and tender,— "'Twas for sinners Jesus came." Laden with the doom of sin; Bid them come and rest in Jesus;
He is waiting;—"call them in!"

2 "Call them in!"—the Jew, the Gentile;
Bid the stranger to the feast;
"Call them in!"—the rich, the noble,
From the highest to the least. See! the shadows lengthen round us, Soon the day-dawn will begin; Can you leave them lost and lonely? Christ is coming;—"call them in!" Anna Shipton, 1863.



868 Isa. xxvii. 12. "Ye shall be gathered one by one." A NOTHER called, another brought, dear Master. to Thy feet!

Oh, where are words to tell the joy so wonderful and sweet?

Oh, where are words to give Thee thanks that Thou indeed hast heard-

That Thou hast proved and sealed anew Thy faithful promise-word?

2 Yes, conquering Thy word goes forth on all-triumphant [to-day! "Ye shall be gathered one by one,"—'tis true afresh
And so we hush the yearning cry, "How long, O
Lord, how long?" A sweet new token Thou hast given to change it into Tune Evan II. C. M. D. Or OLD EIGHTY-FIRST.

3 So once again we bless Thee with Thy holy ones above, [mighty love: Because another heart has seen Thy great and Another heart will own Thee Lord, and worship above,

Thee as King, And grateful love, and glowing praise, and willing service bring.

4 Another voice to "tell it out," what great things
Thou hast done;
Another life to live for Thee, another witness won;

Another faithful soldier on our Master's side enrolled; Another heart to read aright Thy heart of love untold! Frances Ridley Havergal, 1872.



Cant. i. 4. "The King hath brought me into His chambers." 869 Tune SWABIA. S. M. Or FRANCONIA.

To Thy healing power yield; Till the sick and sad in gladness,

See Hymns 597, 598, 1085.

1 AND may I really tread The palace of my King, Gaze on the glory of His face, And of His beauty sing?

2 I am not worthy, Lord!
Not worthy to draw near;
My feet are dusty with the way, I hesitate—I fear!

3 "But wherefore tremble thus? I washed thee clean and white; Idecked thee with salvation's robe, Fairer than morning light!

4 "I hold thy hand in Mine, And as I walk beside, The pearly gates lift up their heads, And for us open wide.

"They opened long ago, Opened to let Me in,

When I, returning from the fight, Had conquered death and sin.

"And they stand open still, Open, My child, for thee! Then enter in with joyfulness, And use thy liberty."

7 Jesus! I will draw nigh, And in the "secret place" Behold the beauty of my Lord, And banquet on His grace. William Pennefather, 1871.

(3) HOSPITAL SUNDAY. SUCCOTH (Valley of). [H. P. 189.] Matt. xiv. 35. "They brought unto Him all that were diseased." Tune Succorn. 87, 87, 77. Or CASSEL. 1 THOU to whom the sick and dying L Ever came, nor came in vain, Still with healing word replying To the weary cry of pain; Hear us, Jesu, as we meet, Suppliants at Thy mercy-seat. 2 Every care and every sorrow,
Be it great, or be it small;
Yesterday, to-day, to-morrow,
When, where'er, it may befall;
Lay we humbly at Thy feet,
Suppliants round Thy mercy-seat. 3 Still the weary, sick, and dying Need a brother's, sister's care; On Thy higher help relying, May we now their burden share: Bringing all our offerings meet, Suppliants at Thy mercy-seat. 4 May each child of Thine be willing, Willing both in hand and heart, Every law of love fulfilling, Every comfort to impart: Ever bringing offerings meet, Suppliants at Thy mercy-seat. 5 Then shall sickness, sin, and sadness

Shall the saints together meet, Pardoned at Thy judgment seat! Rescued, ransomed, cleansed, healed, Godfrey Thring, 1866.



Tune ORIEL. Or IDUMEA. Isa. lii. 8. "The Lord shall bring again Zion." 87, 87, 47. 1 ON the mountain's top appearing, Lo! the sacred herald stands; Welcome news to Zion bearing, 2 Has thy night been long and mournful?

Have thy friends unfaithful proved? Have thy foes been proud and scornful, By thy sighs and tears unmoved? Cease thy mourning, Zion still is well beloved. Zion long in hostile lands;
Mourning captive!
God Himself will loose thy bands.

3 God, thy God, will now restore thee:
He Himself appears thy friend:
All thy foes shall flee before thee,
Here their boasts and triumphs end;
Great deliverance

4 Enemics no more shall trouble,
All thy wrongs shall be redressed;
For thy shame thou shalt have double,
In thy Maker's favour blessed;
All thy conflicts

Zion's King vouchsafes to send. End in everlasting rest! Thomas Kelly, 1904.

ST. MICHAEL. [H. P. 85.]



872 Ps. lxvii. 2. "That Thy way may be known upon earth."

th." Tune St. MICHAEL. S. M.

1 TO bless Thy chosen race, In mercy, Lord, incline; And cause the brightness of Thy face On all Thy saints to shine;

2 That so Thy wondrous way

Yay through the world be known,
While distant lands their tribute pay,
And Thy salvation own.

3 Let differing nations join
To celebrate Thy fame;
Let all the world, O Lord, combine
To praise Thy glorious name.

4 Oh let them shout and sing, With joy and pious mirth; For Thou, the righteous Judge and King, Shalt govern all the earth!

KEDAR. [H. P. 42.]

873 Isa. lx. 15. "I will make thee an eternal excellency."

O ZION, when thy Saviour came In grace and love to thee, No beauty in thy royal Lord Thy faithless eye could see.

2 Yet, onward in His path of grace, The holy Sufferer went, To feel, at last, that love on thee Had all in vain been spent.

3 Yet not in vain; o'er Israel's land The glory yet will shine; And He, thy once rejected King, Messiah, shall be thine. Tune KEDAR. C. M. Or NOTTINGHAM.

4 Then thou, beneath the peaceful reign Of Jesus and His bride, Shalt sound His grace and glory forth To all the earth beside.

5 The nations to thy glorious light, O Zion! yet shall throng; And all the listening islands wait To catch the joyful song.

6 The name of Jesus yet shall ring Through earth and heaven above, And all His ransomed people know The sabbath of His love.

Sir Edward Denny, 1838.

Tute and Brady, 1696.



Ps. lxxiv. 2. "Remember Thine inheritance which Thou hast redeemed."

Tune HERMON. L. M.

1 GREAT God of Abraham! hear our prayer; Let Abraham's seed Thy mercy share: Oh, may they now at length return, And look on Him they pierced, and mourn!

2 Remember Jacob's flock of old; Bring home the wanderers to Thy fold; Remember too Thy promised word, "Israel at last shall seek the Lord."

See Hymns 129, 226, 929, 302, 322-330, 334, 483.

3 Though outcasts still, estranged from Thee, Cut off from their own olive-tree; Why should they longer such remain? For Thou canst graft them in again.

4 Lord, put Thy law within their hearts, And write it in their inward parts; The veil of darkness rend in two, Which hides Messiah from their view.

5 Oh! haste the day, foretold so long, When Jew and Greek, a glorious throng, One house shall seek, one prayer shall pour, And one Redeemer shall adore! Thomas Cotterill, 1819.



Joel ii. 28. "I will pour out My Spirit upon all flesh."

Tune Crasselius.

L. M.

- 1 O SPIRIT of the living God, In all Thy plenitude of grace, Where'er the foot of man hath trod, Descend on our apostate race.
- 2 Give tongues of fire and hearts of love. To preach the reconciling word; Give power and unction from above, Whene'er the joyful sound is heard.
- 3 Be darkness, at Thy coming, light, Confusion order in Thy path; Souls without strength inspire with might, Bid mercy triumph over wrath.
- 4 O Spirit of the Lord, prepare
 All the round earth her God to meet;
 Breathe Thou abroad like morning air,
 Till hearts of stone begin to beat.
- 5 Baptize the nations far and nigh; The triumphs of the cross record; The name of Jesus glorify, Till every kindred call Him Lord! James Montgomery, 1825.



876 Acts xvi. 9. "Come over . . . and help us."

1 FROM Greenland's icy mountains. From India's coral strand, Where Afric's sunny fountains Roll down their golden sand; From many an ancient river, From many a palmy plain,
They call us to deliver
Their land from error's chain.

2 What though the spicy breezes
Blow soft o'er Ceylon's isle; Though every prospect pleases, And only man is vile: In vain with lavish kindness The gifts of God are strewn:
The heathen, in his blindness,
Bows down to wood and stone. Tune ZOAN I. 76, 76. D.

3 Can we, whose souls are lighted With wisdom from on high, Can we, to men benighted, The lamp of life deny?
Salvation, oh! salvation,
The joyful sound proclaim:
Till each remotest nation
Has learned Messiah's name.

4 Waft, waft, ye winds, His story!
And you, ye waters, roll,
Till, like a sea of glory,
It spreads from pole to pole;
Till o'er our ransomed nature,
The Lamb for sinners slain,
Redeemer, King, Creator,
In bliss returns to reign!

Risham Hehe

Bishop Heber, 1819.

877 Gen. i. 3. "God said, Let there be light."

1 THOU, whose almighty word Chaos and darkness heard. And took their flight:
Hear us, we humbly pray,
And where the gospel's day
Sheds not its glorious ray,
"Let there be light."

Tune Moscow. 664, 6664.

2 Thou, who didst come to bring. On Thy redeeming wing, Healing and sight, Health to the sick in mind, Sight to the inly blind: Oh! now to all mankind "Let there be light."



2 Let the Indian, let the Negro, Let the rude Barbarian see That Divine and glorious conquest Once obtained on Calvary;

Let the gospel Loud resound from pole to pole

4 Fly abroad, thou mighty gospel,
Win and conquer, never cease;
May Thy lasting, wide dominions,
Multiply, and still increase,
Sway Thy sceptre,
Saviour, all the world around.

William Williams, 1772.



Ps. xlv. 3. "Gird Thy sword upon Thy thigh, O Most Mighty."

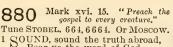
> Tune GILBOA. L. M.

1 CAPTAIN of Thine enlisted host. Display Thy glorious banner high; The summons send from coast to coast, And call a numerous army nigh.

2 Bid, bid Thy heralds publish loud The peaceful blessings of Thy reign; And when they speak of sprinkling blood, The mystery to the heart explain.

3 Fight for Thyself, O Jesus, fight, The travail of Thy soul regain; Before the blind make darkness light, The crooked paths do Thou make plain! Christopher Batty, 1867. (a.) 4 Ye who, forsaking all

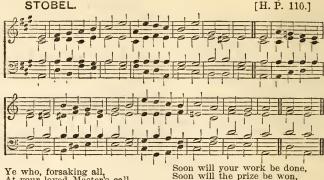
At your loved Master's call, Comforts resign;



Bear ye the word of God Through the wide world: Tell what our Lord has done; Tell how the day is won, And from his lofty throne Satan is hurled.

2 Speed on the wings of love: Jesus, who reigns above, Bids us to fly: They who His message bear Should neither doubt nor fear; He will their Friend appear, He will be nigh.

3 When on the mighty deep, He will their spirits keep Stayed on His word; When in a foreign land, No other friend at hand, Jesus will by them stand. Jesus their Lord.



Ps. xcvi. 10. "Say among the heathen that the Lord reigneth." Tune ALL SAINTS. 87, 87, 77.

1 HERALDS of the Lord of glory! Lift your voices, lift them high: Tell the gospel's wondrous story,
Tell it fully, faithfully;
Tell the heathen 'midst their woe, Jesus reigns, above, below.

2 Haste the day, the bright, the glorious!
When the sad and sin-bound slave High shall laud, in pealing chorus, Him who reigns, and reigns to save. Tempter, tremble! Idols, fall! Jesus reigns, the Lord of all!

3 Christians! send to joyless regions
Heralds of the gladdening word;
Let them, voiced like trumpet legions,
Preach the kingdom of the Lord; Tell the heathen, Jesus died! Reigns He now, though crucified.

4 Saviour, let Thy quickening Spirit Touch each herald lip with fire: Nations then shall own Thy merit, Hearts shall glow with Thy desire: Earth in jubilee shall sing. Jesus reigns, the eternal King! ALL SAINTS. [H. P. 298.]

Brighter than yonder sun
Then shall ye shine!
Thomas Kelly, 1820.

SHARON. [H. P. 295.]

William Henry Havergal, 1827.

882 Jer. li. 27. "Blow the trumpet among the nations."

SOON the trumpet of salvation D Loudly, sweetly shall be blown: And each kindred, tongue, and nation Shall the thrilling mandate own.

2 Myriads, verging on perdition, Roused by its persuasive sound, Shall with ardour and contrition Come from earth's remotest bound. Tune SHARON. 87, 87.

3 All shall haste and come believing To the refuge of the cross;
And the Saviour's grace receiving,
Joyous count all else but loss.

4 Great Immanuel! send Thy Spirit! Great Immanuer: send Ing.

Let Thy gospel trumpet sound:

May the heathen know Thy merit,

Make Thy glorious grace abound!

Make Thy glorious grace abound! William Henry Havergal, 1826.



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Ps. xlv. 4. "In Thy majesty ride prosperously." Tune ZOAN I.

1 WITH hearts in love abounding. Prepare we now to sing A lofty theme, resounding
Thy praise, Almighty King:
Whose love, rich gifts bestowing,
Redeemed the human race; Whose lips, with zeal o'erflowing, Breathe words of truth and grace.

2 In majesty transcendent, Gird on Thy conquering sword; 76.76. D.

In righteousness resplendent, Ride on, Incarnate Word! Ride on, O King Messiah, To glory and renown; Pierced by Thy darts of fire, Be every foe o'erthrown!

3 So reign, O God, in heaven Eternally the same;

And endless praise be given To Thy eternal name!

Clothed in Thy dazzling brightness, Thy church on earth behold. In robe of purest whiteness, In raiment wrought of gold.

4 And let each Gentile nation Come gladly in her train, To share Thy great salvation. And join her grateful strain: Then ne'er shall note of sadness Awake the trembling string; One song of joy and gladness
The ransomed world shall sing! Harriet Auber, 1829.

884 Acts xiv. 26. "Recommended to the grace of God for the work which they fulfilled." Tune IDUMEA. 87, 87, 47.

1 SPEED Thy servants, Saviour, speed them,
Thou art Lord of winds and waves;
They were bound, but Thou hast freed them;
Now they go to free the slaves;
Be Thou with them:
"Tis Thine arm eleve that caves

'Tis Thine arm alone that saves.

2 Friends, and home, and all forsaking, Lord, they go at Thy command; As their stay Thy promise taking While they traverse sea and land: Oh, be with them!

Lead them safely by the hand. 3 When they reach the land of strangers,

And the prospect dark appears, Nothing seen but toils and dangers, Nothing felt but doubts and fears,
Be Thou with them:
Hear their sighs, and count their tears.

4 When they think of home, now dearer

Than it ever seemed before, Bring the promised glory nearer; Let them see that peaceful shore,

Where Thy people Rest from toil, and weep no more.

5 When no fruit appears to cheer them. And they seem to toil in vain:
Then in mercy, Lord, draw near them,
Then their sinking hopes sustain:

Thus supported, Let their zeal revive again.

6 In the midst of opposition, Let them trust, O Lord, in Thee; When success attends their mission, Let Thy servants humbler be; Never leave them,

Till Thy face in heaven they see:

See Hymns 165, 209-211, 323, 330, 332, 333, 338, 342, 414, 461, 767.



7 There to reap in joy, for ever, Fruit that grows from seed here sown; There to be with Him who never Ceases to preserve His own; And with gladness Give the praise to Him alone!

Thomas Kelly, 1826.

THEME X. — Times and Seasons. 1.—Seasons of the Dag.

MELCOMBE.

[H. P. 24.]

(1) MORNING.

Ham. iii. 23. "They are new every morning."
Tune MELCOMBE. L. M.

- 1 NEW every morning is the love Our wakening and uprising prove; Through sleep and darkness safely brought, Restored to life, and power, and thought.
- 2 New mercies, each returning day, Hover around us while we pray; New perils past, new sins forgiven, New thoughts of God, new hopes of heaven.
- 3 If on our daily course our mind Be set to hallow all we find, New treasures still, of countless price, God will provide for sacrifice.
- 4 Old friends, old scenes will lovelier be, As more of heaven in each we see; Some softening gleam of love and prayer Shall dawn on every cross and care.
- 5 Only, O Lord, in Thy dear love Fit us for perfect rest above; And help us, this and every day, To live more nearly as we pray!

John Keble, 1827.

TALLIS'S CANON.

[H. P. 13.]

886 Ps. lvii. 8. "Awake up, my glory."

1 AWAKE, my soul, and with the sun Thy daily stage of duty run; Shake off dull sloth, and joyful rise, To pay thy morning sacrifice.

2 Thy precious time misspent, redeem, Each present day thy last esteem; Improve thy talent with due care, For the great day thyself prepare.

3 Let all thy converse be sincere, Thy conscience as the noonday clear; Think how the all-seeing God thy ways And all thy secret thoughts surveys.

4 Wake, and lift up thyself, my heart, And with the angels bear thy part; Who all night long unwearied sing High praise to the Eternal King.

5 I wake, I wake, ye heavenly choir, May your devotion me inspire; That I, like you, my agc may spend, Like you, may on my God attend! Tune Tallis's Canon. L. M. Or Crasselius.

PART II.

- 6 All praise to Thee, who safe hast kept, And hast refreshed me whilst I slept; Grant, Lord, when I from death shall wake, I may of endless light partake.
- 7 Lord, I my vows to Thee renew, Disperse my sins as morning dew, Guard my first springs of thought and will, And with Thyself my spirit fill.
- 8 Direct, control, suggest, this day, All I design, or do, or say; That all my powers, with all their might, In Thy sole glory may unite.
- 9 Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host, Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost! Bishop Ken, 1697; revised 1709.

887 John i. 4. "The Life was the Light of men." Tune LUBECK. 77,77. Or CHIOS.

- 1 SON of God, Eternal Word, Glorious Dayspring, Christ the Lord! Shine upon us with Thy rays, While we celebrate Thy praise.
- 2 When Thou madest heaven and earth, Angels shouted at their birth; Morning stars in chorus sang When the world from darkness sprang.

LUBECK. (H. P. 139.)



- 3 When in sin and death we lay, Thou didst wake us into day ; Thou, in human nature born, Wert to us a glorious morn.
- 4 When Thou didst arise from death, We were quickened by Thy breath; We arose with Thee our Head, First-begotten from the dead.
- 5 Look on all with pitying eye Who in heathen darkness lie; Scatter, Lord, their shades of night, Dawn upon them with Thy light.

PART II.

- 6 Send to us the Holy Ghost, Give the light of Pentecost; That we may for ever bless Thee, the Sun of Righteousness.
- 7 Keep us safe from harm and sin, Foes around us, and within; May we see Thee ever nigh, Ever walk as in Thine eye.



8 Lead us onward, Lord, we pray, To the pure and perfect day, Where we may the glory see Of the blessed Trinity.

9 Glory to the Father be, Glory, Light of Light, to Thee; With the Father and the Son, Praise the Spirit, Three in One! Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1867.

[H. P. 259.]

ST. GREGORY.



888 Tune St. Gregory. Ps. xvi. 8. "I have set the Lord always before me." L. M. Or CRASSELIUS.

- 1 FORTH in Thy name, O Lord, I go, My daily labour to pursue; Thee, only Thee, resolved to know, In all I think, or speak, or do.
- 2 The task Thy wisdom hath assigned, Oh let me cheerfully fulfil;
 In all my works Thy presence find,
 And prove Thy good and perfect will.

See Hymns 105, 286.

- 3 Thee may I set at my right hand, Whose eyes my inmost substance see; And labour on at Thy command, And offer all my works to Thee.
- 4 Give me to bear Thy easy yoke,
 And every moment watch and pray; And still to things eternal look, And hasten to Thy glorious day
- 5 For Thee delightfully employ Whate'er Thy bounteous grace hath given; And run my course with even joy,
 And closely walk with Thee to heaven!

 Charles Wesley, 1749. (1.)



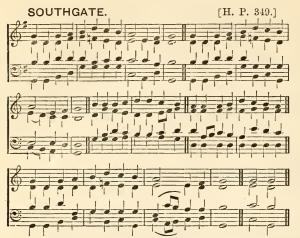
Saturday Morning.

Prov. xvi. 1. "The preparations of the heart . . . from the Lord." Tune, Hymn Chant SMYRNA. C. M. Or ST. ANN.

- 1 THIS is the day to tune with care Each unseen chord within: Would we for Sabbaths well prepare, To-day we should begin.
- 2 Before the majesty of Heaven To-morrow we appear; No honour half so great is given, Throughout man's sojourn here.
- 3 Yet if his heart be not prepared, His soul not meetly dressed, In vain that honour will be shared, No smile will greet the guest.

- 4 We must beforehand lay aside Our own polluted dress, And wear the robe of Jesu's bride, His spotless righteousness.
- 5 We must forsake this world below. Forget all earthly things; Strive with a seraph's love to glow, And soar on angel wings.
- 6 The altar must be cleansed to-day. Meet for the offered Lamb: The wood in order we must lay, And wait to-morrow's flame.
- 7 Lord of the sacrifice we bring, To Thee our hopes aspire:

Our Prophet, our High Priest, and King, Send down the sacred fire! Charlotte Elliott, 1839.



(2) EVENING.

890 Ps. cxxxix. 3. "Thou compassest ...

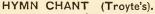
Tune Southgate. 84, 84, 8884.

1 GOD, who madest earth and heaven, Darkness and light;
Who the day for toil hast given, For rest the night;
May Thine angel guards defend us Slumber sweet Thy mercy send us Holy dreams and hopes attend us, This livelong night.

2 Guard us waking, guard us sleeping:
And when we die
May we, in Thy mighty keeping,
All peaceful lie:
When the last dread call shall wake us,

When the last dread call shall wake us Do not Thou, our God, forsake us, But to reign in glory take us With Thee on high.

Bishop Heber, 1827-ver. 2, Archbishop Whately.



(H. P. 311.)



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Luke xxiv. 29. "Abide with us."

A BIDE with me: fast falls the eventide;
The darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide:
When other helpers fail, and comforts flee,
Help of the helpless, oh, abide with me.

2 Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day; Earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass away! Change and decay in all around I see; O Thou who changest not, abide with me.

3 Come not in terrors, as the king of kings: But kind and good, with healing in Thy wings: Tears for all woes, a heart for every plea; Come, Friend of sinners, thus abide with me. Tune, TROYTE'S HYMN CHANT. 10 10, 10 10.

4 I need Thy presence every passing hour: What but Thy grace can foil the tempter's power? Who like Thyself my guide and stay can be? Through cloud and sunshine, oh, abide with me.

5 I fear no foe, with Thee at hand to bless: Ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness: Where is death's sting? where, grave, thy victory? I triumph still, if Thou abide with me.

6 Hold Thou Thy cross before my closing eyes, Shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies; Heaven's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee;

In life, in death, O Lord, abide with me!

Henry Francis Lyte, 1847.



892 Ps. xxx. 5. "But joy cometh in the morning."
Tune PHILEMON. 87, 87.

1 LORD! in love and mercy save us, For our trust is all in Thee; In that cleansing fountain lave us, Which alone can make us free! 2 Weary, life's rough billows breasting, Through the long lone dismal night, Grant that calmly, on Thee resting, We may wait for morning light:

3 When the Sun shall shine forth, bringing Peace with healing on His wings; And, all sadness changed to singing, Thirst be slaked in living springs.

- 4 Lord! we pray, and know Thou hearest, For Thy promises are true: Grant the heart-wish that is dearest; He who knows can also do!
- 5 What though night-black storms of sorrow, Chafing, blind our eyes with tears?

 Joy, we know, comes with the morrow,
 For our Heavenly Father hears;
- 6 Hears, and shall not, more or longer, Try us, than our strength can bear-Lift the cross, or make us stronger:—
 Trust all to His loving care!
- 7 Change, O Lord !—we pray in meckness— Israel's wail to Miriam's song: Feeling our own utter weakness, Let us in Thy strength be strong! Andrew J. Symington, 1869.

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Ps. xxxix. 7. "And now, Lord, what wait I for? My hope is in Thee." Tune Philemon. 87, 87.

- 1 GRACIOUS Saviour, thus before Thee With our varied want and care, For a blessing we implore Thee;
 Listen to our evening prayer!
- 2 By Thy favour safely living, With a grateful heart we raise Songs of jubilant thanksgiving; Listen to our evening praise.
- Or FRANKFORT. Or Godesberg.
 - 3 Through the day, Lord, Thou hast given Strength sufficient for our need: Cheered us with sweet hopes of heaven, Helped and comforted indeed.
 - 4 Lord, we thank Thee, and adore Thee,
 For the solace of Thy love;
 And rejoicing thus before Thee, Wait Thy blessing from above! Henry Bateman, 1862.

LAODICEA. (HYMN CHANT.) TH. P. No. VIII.

894 Zech. xiv. 7. "At evening time it shall be light."

1 THE day is gently sinking to a case,
Fainter and yet more faint the sunlight grows;
O Brightness of Thy Father's glory, Thou
Eternal Light of Light, be with us now:
Where Thou art present, darkness cannot be,
Midnight is glorious poor O Lord with Thee Midnight is glorious noon, O Lord, with Thee.

2 Our changeful lives are ebbing to an end, Onward to darkness and to death we tend; O Conqueror of the grave, be Thou our Guide, Be Thou our Light in death's dark eventide; Then in our mortal hour will be no gloom, No sting in death, no terror in the tomb.

Tune, Hymn Chant LAODICEA. 10 10, 10 10, 10 10.

- 3 Thou who in darkness walking didst appear Upon the waves, and Thy disciples cheer, Come, Lord, in lonesome days, when storms assail, And earthly hopes and human succours fail, When all is dark, may we behold Thee nigh, And hear Thy voice, "Fear not, for it is I."
- 4 The weary world is mouldering to decay, Its glories wane, its pageants fade away In that last sunset, when the stars shall fall, May we arise, awakened by Thy call, With Thee, O Lord, for ever to abide In that blest day which has no eventide!

Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1835,

DISMISSAL [H. P. 305.]

Ps. exxvii. 2. "So He giveth His 895 beloved sleep."

Tune DISMISSAL. 87, 87, 77. Or Succotii.

1 THROUGH the day Thy love has spared us, Now we lay us down to rest,

Through the silent watches guard us, Let no foe our peace molest; Jesus, Thou our guardian be, Sweet it is to trust in Thee.

2 Pilgrims here on earth, and strangers, Dwelling in the midst of foes, Us and ours preserve from dangers, In Thine arms may we repose! And when life's sad day is past, Rest with Thee in heaven at last.

Thomas Kelly, 1806.



809 Ps. xci. 4. "Under His wings shalt thou trust."

1 A LL praise to Thee, my God, this night,
For all the blessings of the light!
Keep me, oh, keep me, King of kings,
Beneath Thy own almighty wings.

Tune Tallis's Canon. L. M.

2 Forgive me, Lord, for Thy dear Son, The ill that I this day have done That with the world, myself, and Thee, I, ere I sleep, at peace may be.

- 3 Teach me to live, that I may dread The grave as little as my bed Teach me to die, that so I may Pise glorious at the awful day.
- 4 Oh! may my soul on Thee repose, And may sweet sleep my eyelids close; Sleep, that may me more vigorous make, To serve my God when I awake.
- 5 When in the night I sleepless lie, My soul with heavenly thoughts supply Let no ill dreams disturb my rest, No powers of darkness me molest.

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, etc. Bishop Ken, 1697; revised, 1709.



900 Ps. lxv. 8. "Thou makest the outgoings of the morning and evening to rejoice." Tune SHENIR I. 777, 5

1 THREE in One, and One in Three, Ruler of the earth and sea, Hear us, while we lift to Thee Holy chant and psalm.

2 Light of lights! with morning shine; Lift on us Thy light Divine; And let charity benign Breathe on us her balm. 3 Light of lights! when falls the even, Let it close on sins forgiven; Fold us in the peace of heaven, Shed a holy calm.

4 Three in One, and One in Three;
Dimly here we worship Thee;
With the saints hereafter we
Hope to bear the palm!
Gibbert Rovison, LL.D., 1850. (a.)

PENIEL.

[H. P. 23.]

901 Ps. iv. 8. "I will both lay me down in peace and sleep."

1 SUN of my soul, Thou Saviour dear, It is not night if Thou be near: Oh, may no earth-born cloud arise To hide Thee from Thy servant's eyes.

2 When the soft dews of kindly sleep My wearied eyelids gently steep, Be my last thought, how sweet to rest For ever on my Saviour's breast.

3 Abide with me from morn till eve, For without Thee I cannot live; Abide with me when night is nigh, For without Thee I dare not die. Tune Peniel. L. M. Or Hursley.

4 If some poor wandering child of Thine Have spurned to-day the voice Divine, Now, Lord, the gracious work begin: Let him no more lie down in sin.

5 Watch by the sick; enrich the poor With blessings from Thy boundless store; Be every mourner's sleep to-night, Like infant's slumbers, pure and light.

6 Come near and bless us when we wake, Ere through the world our way we take; Till in the ocean of Thy love We lose ourselves in heaven above! John Keble, 1927.

902 Ps. lxxiv. 16. "The night also is Thine." Tune Godesberg. 87, 87.

1 SAVIOUR, breathe an evening blessing, Ere repose our spirits seal: Sin and want we come confessing; Thou canst save, and Thou canst heal.

2 Though destruction walk around us, Though the arrow past us fly, Angel-guards from Thee surround us, We are safe if Thou art nigh.

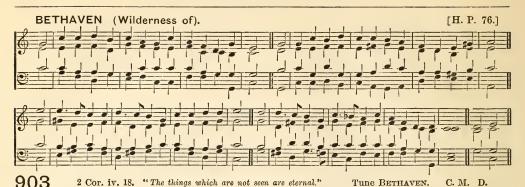
3 Though the night be dark and dreary, Darkness cannot hide from Thee; Thou art He, who, never weary, Watchest where Thy people be.

4 Should swift death this night o'ertake us,
And our couch become our tomb,
May the morn in heaven awake us,

Clad in light and deathless bloom!

James Edmeston, 1820.





THE roseate hues of early dawn,
The brightness of the day,
The crimson of the sunset sky,
How fast they fade away.
On for the pearly gates of heaven!
Oh for the golden floor!

Oh for the Sun of Righteousness, That setteth never more!

2 The highest hopes we cherish here, How fast they tire and faint; How many a spot defiles the robe That wraps an earthly saint.

See Hymns 525, 566.

Oh for a heart that never sins! Oh for a soul washed white! Oh for a voice to praise our King, Nor weary day or night!

3 Here faith is ours, and heavenly hope, And grace to lead us higher; But there are perfectness and peace Beyond our best desire: Oh by Thy love and anguish, Lord, Oh by Thy life laid down; Oh that we fall not from Thy grace,

Nor cast away our crown!

Cecil Frances Alexander, 1853.

Saturday Evening.

904 Exod. xix. 10, 11. "Sanctify them to-day and to-morrow, . . . and be ready."

Tune Sihor. 77, 77, 77.

1 SAFELY through another week God has brought us on our way; Let us now a blessing seek On the' approaching Sabbath-day: Day of all the week the best, Emblem of eternal rest.

2 Mercies multiplied each hour, Through the week, our praise demand: Guarded by Almighty power, Fed and guided by His hand: From our worldly care set free, May we rest this night with Thee.

3 When the morn shall bid us rise, May we feel Thy presence near: May Thy glory meet our eyes When we in Thy house appear; Thus may all our Sabbaths prove Till we join the church above!

John Newton, 1774.



905 Ps. iv. 4. "Commune with your own heart."

A NOTHER portion of the span,
Assigned to transitory man,
Has now for ever flown;
And ere I taste the sweet repose
My heavenly Guardian's care bestows.
I kneel before His throne.

2 God of my life! to Thee I pray; The passing pilgrim of a day, Soon, soon to sleep in death— Let me not spend unthinkingly These moments that so quickly fly, Shortened by every breath. Tune Kedron. 886. D.

3 Ere yet that hallowed morn appear, Given to recruit the soul and cheer, Pour down Thy light Divine; That while my progress I retrace, Since last I hailed the day of grace, Its beams within may shine.

4 Oh, has that rapid ceaseless tide, Of which the waves so noiseless glide, Borne me towards heaven, my home: As surely as each day, each hour, Has borne me with resistless power On to the silent tomb?

(Brook).

KEDRON

[H. P. 213.]

5 Have my affections soared above?
And has my Saviour's wondrous love
Constrained me, day by day,
For Him to act, to think, to speak,
His glory as my end to seek,
His Spirit to obey?

6 Have I His constant influence felt? And has His holy word so "dwelt Richly" my heart within, That outward faults have been sub-

dued, And inward hidden thoughts renewed Cleansed from the taint of sin?

7 Lord! if my only answer now Must be these silent tears that flow, For days not given to Thee; Still let a holier life begin, A life not thus defaced by sin, If I to-morrow see.

8 Then let Thy word its power exert,
To quicken, cleanse, transform my heart,
Within Thy house of prayer;
Or, if that boon be still denied,
With me in solitude abide,
And make my wants Thy care.

9 Now let me peacefully lie down,
Cleansed, pardoned, numbered with Thine cwn,
While strengthening sleep is given;
Then let the auspicious Sabbath bring
Peace, gladness, healing on its wing,
And rest, like that of heaven!

ARISTARCHUS.

[H. P. 224]

(3) MIDNIGHT.

906 Ps. cxxi. 3. "He that keepeth thee will not slumber."

Tune Aristarchus. 88, 88.

1 INSPIRER and Hearer of prayer, Thou Shepherd and Guardian of Thine; My all to Thy covenant care I, sleeping and waking, resign.

2 If Thou art my Shield and my Sun, The night is no darkness to me; And, fast as my moments roll on, They bring me but nearer to Thee. 3 Thy ministering spirits descend To watch while Thy saints are asleep; By day and by night they attend The heirs of salvation to keep.

4 Thy worship no interval knows,
Their fervour is still on the wing;
And, while they protect my repose.
They chant to the praise of my King.

5 I too, at the season ordained, Their chorus for ever shall join; And love, and adore, without end, Their faithful Creator and mine!

Augustus M. Toplady, 1776.

Charlotte Elliott, 1839.

PHILEMON.

[H. P. 223.]

907 Ps. cxix. 151. "Thou art near, O Lord."

1 LORD! of life the Guard and Giver, Blessèd be Thy name for ever! Thou who slumberest not nor sleepest, Safe are those Thou kindly keepest.

2 Through night's curtains, round us closing, Seen of Thee is our reposing; Let Thine angels, without number, Watch around our beds of slumber, Tune PHILEMON. 88,88.

3 Grant to those, in pain that languish, Sleep to lull the sense of anguish; Give to those, in sorrow waking, Sleep to soothe the heart's sore aching.

4 Thou that, ever wakeful, livest, Sleep to Thy beloved givest, Night by night, oh send, to case us, Sleep—until we sleep in Jesus!

James Hogg, 1807. (a.)



908 Job xxxv. 10. "Who giveth songs in the night."

1 MY God, my God, I know that Thou dost hear

Though midnight darkness be around me spread;

Around midnight darkness be around me spread; I know Thy presence is for ever near me.
Around my dwelling, and about my bed;
My rock, my shield, the tower of my defence;
The songs of angels echo round Thy throne,
And yet Thou lov'st the trembling confidence
Of the poor sinful heart that trusts in Thee alone.

2 ('reator: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit! My soul would praise Thee in the silent night, I dwell beneath Thy love, Thy power, Thy merit, Thou my salvation, my eternal light:

Tune, Hymn Chant THYATIRA. 11 10, 11 10, 10 10, 10 12.

And when my feet shall tread the dreary vale Of death's dark shadow; in that dreadful hour, When all is dark, and flesh and blood must fail. Oh! then, my God, as now, uphold me with Thy power.

3 Be with me then, now make my heart an altar Fragrant with incense of perpetual praise: Let not my weak soul shrink, nor spirit falter, Nor my frail heart mistrust those darksome ways: But Thou, O Sun of Righteousness, arise, Bright as a morning from a gloomy night;

Till my rapt soul spring upward to the skies, And know and own Thee there, her strength, her joy, her light!

From Rev. E. Garbett, circa 1860.

II .- The Pear.



(1) OPENING OF THE YEAR.

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1 Cor. ix. 24. "So run, that ye may obtain." Or OLD TEN COMMANDMENTS.

Tune St. Gregory. L. M.

1 A NOTHER year has now begun With silent pace its course to run: Our hearts and voices let us raise To God in prayer and songs of praise.

2 Father, Thy bounteous love we bless, For gifts and mercies numberless; For life and health, for grace and peace, For hope of joys that never cease.

3 O Son of God, in faith and fear Teach us to walk as strangers here, With hearts in heaven, that we may come To where Thou art, our Father's home.

- 4 Grant us, O Comforter, Thy grace, And speed us on our earthly race, In body, spirit, and in soul, Right onward to the heavenly goal.
- 5 Thou, Lord, who makest all things new, Oh, give us hearts both pure and true; That we, as jewels, ever Thine, In New Jerusalem may shine.
- 6 Blest Three in One, to Thee we pray, Defend and guide us on our way; That we at last with joy may see The new year of eternity!

Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1862.



910 Ps. xxxi. 3. "For Thy name's sake, lead me and guide me." 77, 77. Tune Patmos. Or VIENNA.

1 BLESS, O Lord, the opening year
To each soul assembled here;
Clothe Thy word with power Divine,
Make us willing to be Thine.

2 Shepherd of Thy blood-bought sheep, Teach the stony heart to weep; Let the blind have eyes to see, See themselves, and look to Thee.

3 Where Thou hast Thy work begun, Give new strength the race to run; Scatter darkness, doubts, and fears, Wipe away the mourner's tears. i Bless us all, both old and young; Call forth praise from every tongue; Let this whole assembly prove All Thy power and all Thy love!

John Newton, 1797.



911 Isa. xli. 10. "Fear thou not, for I am with

Tune HERMAS.

65, 65. D. and Chorus.

1 STANDING at the portal Of the opening year, Words of comfort meet us, Hushing every fear;

Spoken through the silence By our Father's voice, Tender, strong, and faithful, Making us rejoice. Chorus.—Onward then, and fear not, Children of

the day!
For His word shall never, Never pass away.

2 "I the Lord am with thee, Be thou not afraid! I will help and strengthen, Be thou not dismayed!

See Hymns 920, 921, 932, 1076-1079.

Yea, I will uphold thee With My own right hand!

Thou art called and chosen In My sight to stand." Chorus.—Onward then, etc.

3 For the year before us, Oh what rich supplies!
For the poor and needy Living streams shall rise;
For the sad and sinful Shall His grace abound;
For the faint and feeble Perfect strength be
found!

Chorus.-Onward then, etc.

4 He will never fail us, He will not forsake, His eternal covenant He will never break, Resting on His promise What have we to fear? God is All-Sufficient For the coming year! Chorus.—Onward then, etc.

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1873.

FRANCONIA.

[H. P. 87.]

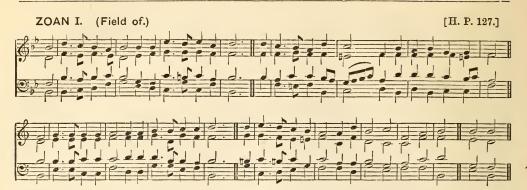


912 Ps. XXXI. 15. "My times are in Thy hand."
Tune Franconia, S. M.

- 1 MY times are in Thy hand:
 My God, I wish them there;
 My life, my friends, my soul I leave
 Entirely to Thy care.
- 2 My times are in Thy hand, Whatever they may be; Pleasing or painful, dark or bright, As best may seem to Thee.

- 3 My times are in Thy hand, Why should I doubt or fear? A Father's hand will never cause His child a needless tear.
- 4 My times are in Thy hand, Jesus, the Crucified: The Hand my cruel sins had pierced Is now my guard and guide.
- 5 My times are in Thy hand; I'll always trust in Thee; And after death at Thy right hand I shall for ever be!

William Freeman Lloyd, 1835.



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Ps. xxiii. 6. "Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life."

¹ T⁰ Thee, O gracious Father, My New Year's hymn I raise; A song of exultation,
A psalm of soul-felt praise!
For Thou hast been my Keeper, My every want supplied; The Lord Jehovah-Jireh, He ever doth provide.

2 To Thee, O blessed Saviour, Who died that I might live, A heart's best adoration Of gratitude I give:

Tune ZOAN I. 76, 76. D. In Thy sweet grace confiding,

I rest this bright new year; Beneath Thy wings abiding, Oh, what have I to fear? 3 To Thee, O Holy Spirit,

O gentle heavenly Dove, I raise my Ebenezer, And sing of all Thy love: Thy strength in perfect weakness, Thy strivings with my soul; Till, in my Lord's completeness, Thy help hath made me whole. 4 I bring my countless treasures, Thy new year's gifts to me;
To hide in Thy pavilion,
O Triune Deity!

And o'er Thy feet, dear Master, While tears of gladness fall, I break my alabaster,

For Thou hast purchased all. L. H. R., 1866.

See Hymns 726, 920, 921, 1076—1078.



(2) CLOSE OF THE YEAR.

Ps. xliii. 3. "O send out Thy light and Thy truth."

> Tune OLD 124TH. 10 10 10, 10 10,

- 1 OUR year of grace is wearing to its close, Its autumn storms are louring from the sky; Shine on us with Thy light, O God Most High: Abide with us where'er our pathway goes, Our Guide in toil, our Guardian in repose.
- 2 All through the months hath beamed Thy cheering

light,
From Bethlehem's day-star waxing ever on:
Through every cloud Thy blessed Sun hath shone.

Earth may be dark to them that walk by sight, But for Thy church the day is always bright.



3 Light us in life, that we may see Thy will, The track Thine hand hath ordered for our way; Light us, when shadows gather o'er our day: Shine on us in that passage lone and chill, And then our darkness with Thy glory fill.

4 Praise be to God from earth's remotest coast, From lands and seas, and each created race: Praise from the worlds His hand hath launched in space: [host: Praise from the church, and from the heavenly Praise to the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Dean Alford, D.D., 1867.



915 ² Cor. i. 10. "Who delivered us, . . . and doth deliver; in whom we trust that He will yet deliver."

Tune VIENNA. 77, 77.

- 1 FOR Thy merey and Thy grace, Faithful through another year, Hear our song of thankfulness, Father, and Redeemer, hear.
- 2 In our weakness and distress, Rock of strength, be Thou our stay: In the pathless wilderness Be our true and living Way.

- 3 Who of us death's awful road In the coming year shall tread; With Thy rod and staff, O God, Comfort Thou his dying head.
- 4 Keep us faithful, keep us pure, Keep us evermore Thine own; Help, oh, help us to endure: Fit us for the promised crown.
- 5 So within Thy palace gate
 We shall praise on golden strings,
 Thee, the only Potentate,
 Lord of lords, and King of kings.

 Henry Downton, 1851.



916 Ps. xc. 9. "We spend our years as a tale that is told."

Tune PLEYEL. 77, 77. Or SILOAM.

- 1 WHILE with ceaseless course the sun Hasted through the passing year, Many souls their race have run, Never more to meet us here:
- 2 Fixed in an eternal state, They have done with all below: We a little longer wait, But how little none can know.

- 3 Swiftly thus our fleeting days
 Bear us down life's rapid stream;
 Upwards, Lord, our spirits raise,
 All below is but a dream.
- 4 Bless Thy word to young and old: Fill us with a Saviour's love; And when life's short tale is told, May we dwell with Thee above!

John Newton, 1779.



917 Ps. xc. 12. "So teach us to number our days."

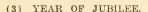
- 1 TIME by moments steals away,
 First the hour, and then the day;
 Thus another year is flown,
 Now it is no more our own.
- 2 But each year, let none forget, Finds and leaves us deep in debt: Favours from the Lord received. Sins that have the Spirit grieved.

See Hymns 104, 456, 571, 573, 578, 1020, 1021.

Tune SHENIR II. 77, 77. Or LUXEMBURG.

- 3 We have nothing, Lord, to pay: Take, oh, take our guilt away: Self condemned, on Thee we call, Freely, Lord, forgive us all.
- 4 If we see another year, May we spend it in Thy fear; All its days devote to Thee, Living for eternity.

John Newton, 1779. (a.)



Lev. xxv. 9. "Cause the trumpet of the Jubiles to sound."

Tune BEVAN.

BLOW ye the trumpet, blow. The gladly solemn sound; Let all the nations know,
To earth's remotest bound,
The year of Jubilee is come;

Return, ye ransomed sinners, home.

Jesus, our great High Priest, Hath full atonement made; Ye weary spirits, rest;
Ye mournful souls, be glad;
The year of Jubilee is come; Return, ye ransomed sinners, home.

Extol the Lamb of God, The all-atoning Lamb; Redemption by His blood Throughout the world proclaim: The year of Jubilee is come; Return, ye ransomed sinners, home.

BEVAN. [H. P. 273.]

Ye who have sold for nought Your heritage above, Receive it back unbought, The gift of Jesus' love:

The year of Jubilee is come; Return, ye ransomed sinners, home. Charles Wesl.y, 1750.

ZAANAIM (Plain of). [H. P. 191.]

919

Ps. lxxii. 17. "And men shall be blessed in Him; all nations shall call Him blessed." Tune ZAANAIM. 87, 87, 77. Or SUCCOTH.

1 SHOUT, O earth! from silence waking, Tune with joy thy varied tongue; Shout! as when from chaos breaking Sweetly flowed thy natal song: Shout! for thy Creator's love Sends redemption from above.

2 Downward from His star-paved dwelling Comes the incarnate Son of God; Countless voices, thrilling, swelling, Tell the triumphs of His blood; Shout! He comes thy tribes to bless With His spotless righteousness.

3 See His glowing hand uplifted! Clustering bounties drop around; Rebels e'en are richly gifted, Pardon, peace, and joy abound!

Shout, O earth! and let thy song Ring the vaulted heavens along.

4 Call Him blessed! on thy mountains, In thy wilds and citied plains: Call Him blessed! where thy fountains Speak in softly murmuring strains. Let thy captives, let thy kings Join thy lyre of thousand strings.

5 Blessèd Lord, and Lord of blessing! Pour Thy quickening gifts abroad; Raptured tongues, Thy love confessing, Shall extol the living God. Blessèd, Blessèd, Blessèd Lord! Heaven shall chant no other word.

William Henry Havergal, 1841.

III .- Sensons of Life.

(1) BIRTHDAYS.

Rom. xiii. 12. "The night is far spent, the day is at hard." Tune BETHAVEN. C. M. D. 1 PEJOICE, my fellow-pilgrim! for another stage is o'er campaign

Of the weary homeward journey, to be travelled through no more;

No more these clouds and shadow-veils shall darken all our sky:

No more these snares and stumbling-blocks across our path shall lie.

2 Rejoice, my fellow-soldier! for another long

Is ended, and its dangers have not all been met in vain: Some enemies are driven back, some ramparts

overthrown; Some earnests given that victory at length shall be our own!



3 Rejoice, my fellow-servant! for another year is

The heat and burden of the day will not for ever last: And yet the work is pleasant now, and sweet the

Master's smile:

And well may we be diligent through all our "little while."

4 Rejoice, my Christian brother! for the race is nearer run,
And home is drawing nearer still with each revolving sun;

And if some ties are breaking here, of earthly hope

and love, More sweet the fair attractions of the better land above.

5 The light that shone through all the past will still our steps attend, The Guide who led us hitherto will lead us to the

end: The distant view is brightening fast, with fewer

clouds between,

The golden streets are gleaming now, the pearly gates are seen.

6 Oh for the joyous greetings there, to meet and part no more! For ever with the Lord, and all His loved ones

gone before! New mercies from our Father's hand with each

new year may come; But that will be the best of all, a blissful welcome home. Jane Borthwick, 1859.

SALZBURG. TH. P. 203.

Exod. iii. 12. "Certainly I will be with thee."

Tune Salzburg. 15 15, 15 15,

CERTAINLY I will be with thee!" Father, I have found it true:

Thy faithfulness and mercy I would set my seal anew,
All the year Thy grace hath kept me, Thou my

help indeed hast been,

Marvellous the loving-kindness every day and hour hath seen.

2 "Certainly I will be with thee!" Let me feel it, Saviour dear, Let me know that Thou art with me, very pre-

cious, very near.
On this day of solemn pausing, with Thyself all longing still,

Let Thy pardon, let Thy presence, let Thy peace my spirit fill.

3 "Certainly I will be with thee!" Blessed Spirit, come to me,

Rest upon me, dwell within me, let my heart Thy temple be; Through the trackless year before me, Holy One,

with me abide!

Teach me, comfort me, and calm me, be my ever-present Guide.

4 "Certainly I will be with thee!" Starry promise in the night! All uncertainties, like shadows, flee away before

its light. "Certainly I will be with thee!" He hath spoken:

_ I have heard!

True of old, and true this moment, I will trust Jehovah's word.

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1871.

922 Num. xxviii. 11. "In the beginnings of your months ye shall offer a burnt offering."

Tune Kedron. 886. D.

1 AS the new moons of old were

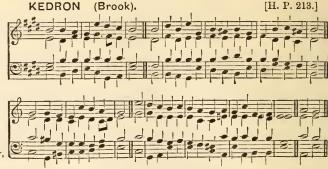
A sacred offering to Heaven, Enjoined by laws Divine, So, Lord, as each new month is lent, Its primal day would I present, Time's first-fruits, at Thy shrine.

2 And chiefly, while I dwell on earth, Should this, the month which gave me birth,

Be given to Thee, my God; Oh deign to bless each hour's employ, And fill with peace, and hope, and joy, This heart, Thy mean abode.

3 Let me pursue my heavenly way
With growing strength, from day to day,
Advancing more and more;
And on the day my life commenced
May showers of blessing be dispensed,
Where drops were given before!

See Hymns 104, 105, 571, 585, 726.



4 Let me be Thine, and Thine alone:
Make every faculty Thine own,
My Saviour and my King!
Each bounteous gift by Thee bestowed,
Laid on Thine altar, O my God,
To Thee shall glory bring.

Charlotte Elliott, 1863.



(2) CHILDHOOD AND YOUTH.

923 Matt. xviii. 2. "Jesus called a little child unto Him."

Tune Carol III. 886. D. Or Kedron.

1 AND is it true what I am told, That there are lambs within the fold Of God's belovêd Son? That Jesus Christ, with tender care, Will in His arms most gently bear The helpless little one?

2 And I, a little straying lamb,
May come to Jesus as I am,
Though goodness I have none:
May now be folded on His breast,
As birds within the parent nest,
And be His little one.

3 And He can do all this for me, Because, in sorrow, on the tree He once for sinners hung; And, having washed their sin away, He now rejoices, day by day, To cleanse the little one.

4 Others there are who love me too; But who, with all their love, can do, What Jesus Christ has done? Then, if He teaches me to pray,

Then, if He teaches me to pray, I'll surely go to Him, and say, Lord, keep Thy little one.

5 Thus, by this gracious Shepherd fed, And by His mercy gently led Where living waters run, My greatest pleasure will be this, That I'm a little lamb of His, Who loves the little one.

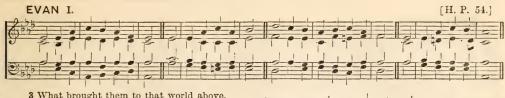
Amelia Matilda Hull, 1860.

924 Ps. li. 7. "Whiter than snow."

1 A ROUND the throne of God in heaven Thousands of children stand; Children whose sins are all forgiven, A holy, happy band, Singing, Glory, glory, glory.

Tune Evan I., with refrain from ABILENE.

2 In flowing robes of spotless white See every one arrayed: Dwelling in everlasting light, And joys that never fade, Singing, Glory, glory, glory.



3 What brought them to that world above, That heaven so bright and fair, Where all is peace, and joy, and love: How came those children there, Singing, Glory, glory, glory?

4 Because the Saviour shed His blood To wash away their sin, Bathed in that precious, purple flood, Behold them white and clean, Singing, Glory, glory, glory.

5 On earth they sought the Saviour's grace, On earth they loved His name; So now they see His blessed face, And stand before the Lamb: Singing, Glory, glory, glory.



6 And is that fountain flowing yet? Blest Saviour, lead us there: That we those happy ones may meet, And in their praises share,
Singing, Glory, glory, glory.

Anne Houlditch, 1847.

PATMOS.

[H. P. 147.]



. 18. "The city was pure gold, like unto clear glass." Rev. xxi. 18.

Tune Patmos. 77, 77.

1 BEAUTIFUL Zion, built above!
Beautiful city that I love!
Beautiful gates of pearly white!
Beautiful temple, God its light!

2 Beautiful trees, for ever there! Beautiful fruits they always bear! Beautiful rivers gliding by! Beautiful fountains, never dry!

3 Beautiful light, without the sun! Beautiful day revolving on! Beautiful worlds on worlds untold! Beautiful streets of shining gold!

4 Beautiful heaven where all is light! Beautiful angels clothed in white! Beautiful songs that never tire! Beautiful harps through all the choir!

5 Beautiful crowns on every brow! Beautiful palms the conquerors show!
Beautiful robes the ransomed wear! Beautiful all who enter there! George Gill, 1859.

[H. P. 38.]

EDEN.

926 Ps. xciv. 9. "He that planted the ear, shall He not hear?" Tune EDEN. C. M.

1 GOD is in heaven. Can He hear A little prayer like mine? Yes, that He can; I need not fear; He'll listen unto mine.

2 God is in heaven. Can He see When I am doing wrong? Yes, that He can; He looks at me All day and all night long.

3 God is in heaven. Would He know If I should tell a lie? Yes; though I said it very low, He'd hear it in the sky.

Or EVAN I. 4 God is in heaven. Does He care, Or is He good to me? Yes; all I have to eat or wear, 'Tis God that gives it me.

5 God is in heaven. May I go To thank Him for His care? Not yet: but love Him here below, And He will see it there.

6 God is in heaven. May I pray To go there when I die?
Yes; love Him, seek Him, and one day
He'll call me to the sky.

Ann Taylor, 1927. (a.)



927

Matt. vi. 10. "Thy kingdom come."

- 1 GOD of heaven, hear our singing! Yet a great petition bringing Father, now we come to Thee.
- 2 Let Thy kingdom come, we pray Thec, Let the world in Thee find rest; Let all know Thee and obey Thee, Loving, praising, blessing, blessed!

Tune STUTTGARD. 87, 87.

- 3 Let the sweet and joyful story Of the Saviour's wondrous love Wake on earth a song of glory, Like the angels' song above.
- 4 Father, send the glorious hour; Every heart be Thine alone; For the kingdom and the power And the glory are Thine own. Frances Ridley Havergal, 1869.



928 Rev. vii. 17. "God shall wipe away all tears." Tune, "OH THAT WILL BE JOYFUL." 776,67.

1 HERE we suffer grief and pain, Here we meet to part again; In heaven we part no more.
Oh! that will be joyful When we meet to part no more!

2 All who love the Lord below When they die to heaven will go, And sing with saints above. Oh! that, etc.

1 | OSANNA! loud hosanna!

3 Little children will be there. Who have sought the Lord by prayer, From every Sunday school. Oh! that, etc.

- 4 Teachers too shall meet above, Pastors, parents, whom we love, Shall meet to part no more. Oh! that, etc.
- 5 Oh, how happy we shall be, For our Saviour we shall see, Exalted on His throne. Oh! that, etc.
- 6 There we all shall sing with joy. And eternity employ,
 In praising Christ the Lord.
 Oh! that, etc.

Thomas Bilby, 1832.

929 Matt. xxi. 15. "The children crying . . . Hosanna."

Tune St. THEODULPH. 76, 76. D. 2 From Olivet they followed,

The lottle children sang:
Through pillared court and temple
The lovely anthem rang:
To Jesus, who had blessed them,
Close folded to His breast, 'Mid that exultant crowd,
The victor palm-branch waving,
And shouting clear and loud:
Bright angels joined the chorus,
Beyond the cloudless sky—
"Herome in the higher" The children sang their praises,
The simplest and the best.
Hosanna, loud Hosanna! "Hosanna in the highest:
Glory to God on high!" Hosanna, loud Hosanna! Hosanna, Lord, we sing. Hosanna, Lord, we sing.

ST. THEODULPH.

[H. P. 277.]





3 Fair leaves of silvery olive They strewed upon the ground, Whilst Salem's circling mountains Echoed the joyful sound:
The Lord of men and angels
Rode on in lowly state,
Nor scorned that little children
Should on His bidding wait. Hosanna, loud Hosanna! Hosanna, Lord, we sing.

"Hosanna in the highest!" That ancient song we sing;
For Christ is our Redeemer,
The Lord of heaven our King. Oh! may we ever praise Him,
With heart, and life, and voice,
And in His blissful presence
Eternally rejoice! Hosanna, loud Hosanna! Hosanna, Lord, we sing.

Jennette Threlfall, 1868.



[H. P. 130.]



930 John xiii. 15. "I have given you an example," Tune GOLDBACH. 76, 76. D.

Or ZOAN I.

1 I LOVE to hear the story, Which angel voices tell, How once the King of glory Came down on earth to dwell, I am both weak and sinful, But this I surely know, The Lord came down to save me, Because He loved me so.

2 I 'm glad my blessed Saviour Was once a child like me, To show how pure and holy His little ones might be.

And if I try to follow
His footsteps here below,
He never will forget me,
Because He loves me so.

3 To sing His love and mercy, To sing His love and mercy, My sweetest songs I'll raise, And though I cannot see Him I know He hears my praise: For He has kindly promised, That even I may go To sing among His angels, Because He loves me so.

E. H. Miller.



In glory, glory, glory. And glory, glory, glory. Anon., 1821. HERMAS. [H. P. 105.] CHORUS.

New Year's, or Birthday, Hymn. Heb. xii. 2. "Looking unto Jesus."

In glory, glory, glory, And shout salvation as I fly

To glory, glory, glory.

I'll sing while mounting through the air

To glory, glory, glory, Then meet my Father's children there

JESUS, blessed Saviour, Help us now to raise Songs of glad thanksgiving, Songs of holy praise. Oh, how kind and gracious Thou hast always been! Oh, how many blessings Every day has seen! Chorus.—Jesus, blessed Saviour, Now our praises hear, For Thy grace and favour, Crowning all

the year. 2 Jesus, holy Saviour, Only Thou canst tell How we often stumbled, How we often fell! All our sins, (so many!) Saviour, Thou dost know; In Thy blood most precious, Wash us white as snow. Chorus.—Jesus, blessed Saviour, Keep us in Thy fear, Let Thy grace and favour Pardon all the year.

Tune HERMAS. 65, 65. D. and Chorus.

That leads to glory, glory;
There's room enough in that blest place
Where Jesus dwells in glory.

And glory, glory, glory; For God doth freely give His grace,

Believe, repent, seek holiness,

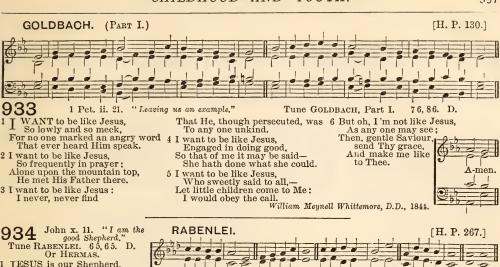
3 Jesus, loving Saviour, Only Thou dost know All that may befall us, As we onward go. So we humbly pray Thee, Take us by the hand, Lead us ever upward To the Better Land. Chorus.—Jesus, blessed Saviour, Keep us ever near, Let Thy grace and favour Shield us all the

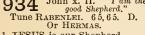
year.

4 Jesus, precious Saviour, Make us all Thine own, Make us Thine for ever, Make us Thine alone. Let each day each moment, Of this glad New-Year, Be for Jesus only, Jesus, Saviour dear. Chorus.—Then, O blessèd Saviour, Never need we fear,

For Thy grace and favour Crown our bright New-Year!

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1872.





- 1 JESUS is our Shepherd, Wiping every tear; Folded in His bosom What have we to fear? Only let us follow
 Whither He doth lead,
 To the thirsty desert,
 Or the dewy mead.
- 2 Jesus is our Shepherd;
 Well we know His voice,
 How its gentlest whisper
 Makes our heart rejoice;
 Even when He chideth,
 Tonder is its tone. Tender is its tone: None but He shall guide us: We are His alone.
- 3 Jesus is our Shepherd; For the sheep He bled;

Every lamb is sprinkled We will fear no evil,

With the blood He shed; Then on each He setteth His own secret sign,— They that have My Spirit, These," saith He, "are Mine."

4 Jesus is our Shepherd: Guarded by His arm, Though the wolves may ravin,

None can do us harm; When we tread death's valley, Dark with fearful gloom.

Victors o'er the tomb.

5 Jesus is our Shepherd; With His goodness now, And His tender mercy, He doth us endow: Let us sing His praises With a gladsome heart Till in heaven we meet Him, Never more to part.

Canon H. Stowell, D.D., 1831:



Matt. xix. 14. "Suffer little children to come unto Me.' June Patmos. 77, 77. Or VIENNA.

- IESUS loves me! this I know. For the Bible tells me so; Little ones to Him belong, They are weak, but He is strong.
- 2 Jesus loves me! He who died Heaven's gate to open wide: He will wash away my sin, Let His little child come in.
- 3 Jesus loves me! loves me still Though I'm very weak and ill; From His shining throne on high, Comes to watch me when I lie.
- 4 Jesus loves me! He will stay Close beside me all the way: If I love Him, when I die He will take me home on high. From "Happy Voices," 186

- Luke xxiv. 29. "Abide with us, for it is toward evening." 936 Tune PATMOS. 77.77. Or Shenir II.
- 1 NOW the daylight goes away. N Saviour, listen while I pray, Asking Thee to watch and keep, And to send me quiet sleep.
- 2 Jesus, Saviour, wash away All that has been wrong to-day: Help me every day to be Good and gentle, more like Thee.
- 3 Let my near and dear ones be Always near and dear to Thee; Oh! bring me and all I love To Thy happy home above.
- Now my evening praise I give; Thou didst die that I might live: All my blessings come from Thee; Oh, how good Thou art to me!
- 5 Thou, my best and kindest Friend. Thou wilt love me to the end; Let me love Thee more and more, Always better than before.

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1839.



937 Isa. lviii. 13. "Call the Sabbath a delight."

Tune Boston. 76, 76. D. Or ZOAN I.

1 O HAPPY, happy Sunday!
Thou day of peace and heaven,
Tis fit we should give one day
To God who gives us seven.
Though other days bring sadness,
Thou bidd'st us cease to mourn;
Then hail, thou day of gladness,
I welcome thy return.

2 O happy, happy Sunday!
We will not toil to-day,
But leave to busy Monday
Our work, and toil, and play.
Thy face is ever smiling,
Thou fairest of the seven;
They only speak of toiling,
But thou of rest and heaven.

3 O happy, happy Sun'ay!
Thy holy hours I prize,
Thou art indeed heaven's own day,
The emblem of the skies.
May I, O Lord, inherit
That rest when life is o'er,
And with each perfect spirit
Adore Thee evermore.

Leeds Sunday School Hymn-book, 1867.

938 Rev. v. 9. "They sung a new song."
Tune STERNBERG. 11 10, 11 10.

- SINGING for Jesus, oh, singing for Jesus, Trying to serve Him wherever I go; Pointing the lost to the way of salvation— This be my mission, a pilgrim below.
- 2 Singing for Jesus glad hymns of devotion, Lifting the soul on her pinions of love; Dropping a word or a thought by the wayside, Telling of rest in the mansions above.
- 3 Singing for Jesus, my blessèd Redeemer, God of the pilgrims, for Thee I will sing, When o'er the billows of time I am wafted, Still with Thy praise shall eternity ring.
- 4 Glory to God for the prospect before me, Soon shall my spirit transported ascend; Singing for Jesus, oh, blissful employment, Loud Hallelujahs that never will end.

Fanny Crosby, 1866.



939 Ps. cl. 6. "Let everything that hath breath praise the Lord." T

Tune STERNBERG. 11 10, 11 10.

- 1 SWEET Hallelujahs! the birds and the blossoms Chant forth in harmony, Praise to the Lord. Sweet Hallelujahs from penitent bosoms: Angels in rapture re-echo the word.
- 2 Sweet Hallelujahs! the works of creation Praise Him who only may e'er be adored; Sweeter the thrill of a new animation, When sinners, new pardoned, sing, Praise to the Lord.
- 3 Sweet Hallelujahs to Jesus their Saviour: All the bright seraphim join in the song; Nations shall start from their evil behaviour, And sweet Hallelujahs to Jesus prolong.
- 4 Sweet Hallelujahs! the great congregation Round the white throne shall re-echo the word, Pass with their palms through the gates of salvation,

With sweet Hallelujahs in praise to the Lord.

Paxton Hood, 1862.



940 Ps. v. 3. "In the morning will I direct my prayer unto Thee." 1 THE morning bright with rosy light Thas waked me up from sleep; Father, I own Thy love alone Thy little one doth keep.

Tune ARRAN. 2 All through the day I humbly pray, Be Thou my guard and guide; My sins forgive, and let me live,

Lord Jesus, near Thy side.

3 Oh, make Thy rest within my breast, Great Spirit of all grace; Make me like Thee, then I shall be Prepared to see Thy face.

Thomas O. Summers, 1851.

C. M.



941 1 Cor. ii. 9. "The things which God hath prepared for them that love Him." Tune MUNICH. 76, 76. D. Or ZOAN I.

1 THERE'S a Friend for little children Above the bright blue sky; A Friend who never changeth, Whose love can never die. Unlike our friends by nature Who change with changing years, This Friend is always worthy The precious name He bears.

2 There's a rest for little children Above the bright blue sky; For those who love the Saviour, And Abba Father cry.
A rest from every trouble,
From sin and danger free,
Where every little pilgrim
Shall rest eternally.

3 There's a home for little children Above the bright blue sky, Where Jesus reigns in glory— A home of peace and joy; No home on earth is like it, Nor can with it compare, For every one is happy, Nor can be happier, there.

4 There's a crown for little children Above the bright blue sky, And all who look to Jesus Shall wear it by and by. A crown of brightest glory, Which He will then bestow On those who found His favour, And loved Him here below.

5 There's a song for little children Above the bright blue sky, A song that will not weary Though sung continually; A song which even angels Can never, never sing,
They know not Christ as Saviour,
But worship Him as King.

6 There's a robe for little children Above the bright blue sky, A harp of sweetest music, A harp of sweetest music,
A palm of victory.
All, all above is treasured,
And found in Christ alone;
Oh, come, dear little children,
That all may be your own.

Albert Midlane, 1861.



See Hymns 95, 129, 153, 179, 226, 286, 386, 390, 397, 456, 547, 631, 664, 666, 865, 866.



CHRISTMAS CAROLS FOR CHILDREN.

943 Luke ii. 18. "Those things which were told them by the shepherds."

Tune, CAROL No. I.

SO happy all the day
Had I been without play;
And such good thoughts had come o'er my mind:
That I wondered what it meant,
Or for why it was sent:
As I ne'er had felt aught of the kind.

And the birds, all day long,
Had kept trilling their song;
And the sun had gone down, oh, so red!
We had folded the sheep,
And were talking of sleep,
But, somehow, we cared not for bed.

The stars were all drest In their brightest and best; And the moon showed a streak of her gold:
"Twas a glorious night;
And we thought of the sight
Of which David our father has told.

A sound struck our ear, Sweet, joyous, and clear, It seemed like a musical breeze: But, ere we could gaze, We were all in a blaze,

And found ourselves down on our knees.

A bright one then said,

(Twas like life from the dead,)

Good tidings, good tidings I bring!

Messiah's come down; In your own little town

You will find Him a Babe and a King!"

And then the whole choir, And then the whole choir, Rising higher and higher, Sang of "glory, sweet peace and good-will." The sheep seemed to dance, And the mountains to prance, And the stars could no longer stand still.

Then onward we sped, To find out the bed,
Where the Saviour in lowliness lay:
Near Bethlehem's inn, (Oh shame on their sin!) We found Him 'midst cattle and hay.

But we saw the blest sight; 'Twas our Judah's delight; And Mary and Joseph were there: And soon we made known
To all in the town
What we heard the good angel declare.

And now, every day, I sing and I pray To the Babe who is Saviour and

all: May His wonderful birth Be known through the earth. And cheer both the great and the

William Henry Havergal, circa 1834.



CAROL II. [H. P. CAROL No. II.] How grand and how bright, That won-der-ful night, When an - gels to Beth - le-hem came! They



burst forth like fires, They struck their gold lyres, And min - gled their sound with the flame!

944 Luke ii. 9. "The glory of the Lord shone round about them."

Tune, CAROL No. II.

HOW grand and how bright That wonderful night,
When angels to Bethlehem came!
They burst forth like fires,
They struck their gold lyres,
And mingled their sound with the flame.

The shepherds were 'mazed, The pretty lambs gazed
At darkness thus turned into light:
No voice was there heard

From man, beast, or bird, So sudden and solemn the sight.

And then, when the sound Re-echoed around, The hills and the dales all awoke; The moon and the stars Stopped their fiery cars, And listened while Gabriel spoke;

"I bring you," said he,
"From the glorious Three Good tidings to gladden mankind;

The Saviour is born, But He lies all forlorn In a manger, as soon you will find."

At mention of this, (The source of all bliss,) The angels sang loudly and long; They soared to the sky,

Beyond mortal eye, But left us the words of their song:

"All glory to God,"
Who laid by His rod,
To smile on the world through His Son;
"And peace be on earth,"
For this wonderful birth
Most wonderful conquests has won;

"And good will to man,"
Though his life's but a span,
And his thoughts all evil and wrong;
Then pray, Christians, pray;
But let Christmas-Day

Have your sweetest and holiest song. William Henry Havergal, circa 1827.



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Ps. cv. 2. "Talk ye of all His wondrous works."

Tune, CAROL No. III.

1 COME, shepherds, come, 'tis just a year Since sweetest music worke our ear, And angels blessed our sight. Come, lift your heart and tune your voice, And bid the hills and vales rejoice, As on that glorious night.

- 2 Tis just a year ago, we say, When night shone out as clear as day, And heaven came down to earth. How did we fear, how did we gaze, Surrounded by the sudden blaze, And thrilled with sounds of mirth!
- 3 Ah! see you not that angel choir?
 And hear you not that mighty lyre
 Which hushed our bleating sheep?
 And, oh, that voice of sweetest awe,
 Which told us all we after saw!
 Who now would silence keep?

- 4 Come, shepherds, come, with prayer and song, This night to be remembered long Rejoice to celebrate. With reedy pipe, chant forth who can To God all glory, love to man, And peace in every gate!
- 5 Tis just a year ago to-night,
 From heaven came down the
 Prince of Light,
 Our guilty world to bless;
 Let Gentiles now with Israel sing
 Our Saviour, Brother, Friend, and
 King,
 Our promised Righteousness!

William Henry Havergal, 1860.



KADESH.

[H. P. 159.]

946 Ps. xx. 5. "We will rejoice in Thy salvation."

WELCOME Christmas! welcome here!
Happiest season of the year!
Fires are blazing, thee to greet,
Families together meet,
Brothers, sisters circle round,
Loud the joyous, happy sound;
For old England loves to see
All her children welcome thee.

2 Welcome Christmas! for thy voice Calls upon us to rejoice: Not with foolish, idle mirth, Born and perishing on earth. Tune KADESH. 77, 77. D.

Far be such ungrateful thought, Ours are blessings dearly bought; Dearly bought, but freely given, By the Lord of earth and heaven.

3 Fix we then on Christ our eye;
May we feel the Saviour nigh;
May we meet around the board,
All rejoicing in the Lord.
Be the Babe of Bethlehem near!
May His love the season cheer,
And each gladdened heart and tongue
Join the angels' Christmas song.

Mary Ann Stodart, 1840.



947 Ps. cxlviii. 12, 13. "Children, . . praise the name of the Lord."
Tune Fides. 65, 65. D. and Chorus. Or HERMAS.

1 WAKEN, Christian children!
Up! and let us sing
With glad voice the praises
Of our new-born King.
Up! tis meet to welcome
With a joyous lay
Christ the King of Glory,
Born for us to-day.
Waken, etc.

2 Up! nor fear to seek Him, Children though we be! Once He said of children, "Let them come to Me." Fear not then to enter, Though we cannot bring

Though we cannot bring Gold, or myrrh, or perfume, Fitting for a King.
Waken, etc.

3 Gifts He asketh richer, Offerings costlier still, Yet may Christian children Bring them if they will.



Brighter than all jewels
Shines the modest eye;
Best of gifts, He loveth
Infant purity. Waken, etc.
Samuel Collingwood Hamerton, 1860.

John xiv. 3. "I will come again."
Tune REGENT SQUARE. 15, 15, 15.
Or IDUMEA.

JESUS came (the heavens adoring), came with peace from realms on high:
Jesus came for man's redemption, lowly came on earth to die.

Hallelujah, Hallelujah! Came in deep humility. 2 Jesus comes again in mercy, when our hearts

are bowed with care;

Jesus comes again in answer to an earnest

heartfelt prayer. [despair. Hallelujah, Hallelujah! Comes to save us from 3 Jesus comes to hearts rejoicing, bringing news

of sin forgiven;
Jesus comes in sounds of gladness, leading
souls redeemed to heaven. [is riven.
Hallelujah, Hallelujah! Now the gate of death

4 Jesus comes in joy and sorrow, shares alike our hopes and fears; Jesus comes, whate'er befalls us, glads our hearts and dries our tears. [ing years. Hallelujah, Hallelujah! Cheering e'en our fail-

Hallelujah, Hallelujah! Cheering e'en our fail-5 Jesus comes on clouds triumphant, when the heavens shall pass away;

Jesus comes again in glory, let us then our homage pay; [the day, Hallelujah! ever singing, till the dawning of Godfrey Thrug, 1866.





949 (3) CONFIRMATION.

Mark i. 17. "Jesus soid unto them, Come ye after Me."

Tune GODESBERG. 87. 87.

1 JESUS calls us—o'er the tumult
Jesus calls us—o'er the tumult
Of our life's wild, restless sea:
Day by day His sweet voice soundeth,
Saying. "Christian, follow Me."

2 Jesus calls us from the worship Of the vain world's golden store, From each idol that would keep us: Saying, "Christian, love Me more."

3 In our joys, and in our sorrows, Days of toil and hours of ease, Still He calls, in cares and pleasures, "Christian, love Me more than these."

4 Jesus calls us! by Thy mercies,
Saviour, may we hear Thy call,
Give our hearts to Thy obedience,
Serve and love Thee best of all.
Cocil Frances Alexander, 1853.



950 Jer. l. 5. "Come and let us join ourselves to the Lord in a perpetual covenant."

Tune Bedford.

C. M.

- 1 COME, let us seek the grace of God, And all with one accord In a perpetual covenant join Ourselves to Christ the Lord.
- 2 Come, let us join ourselves to Him Who died our souls to save, Who died that sinners, such as we, Eternal life might have.

- 3 And may we ever, through His grace, This covenant bear in mind; No more forsake the Lord our God, Nor cast His word behind.
- 4 Oh! let the days already past Suffice to have spent in vain; Let Satan's power no more prevail, Nor in our members reign.
- 5 Thee, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
 May we by faith receive;
 And henceforth die to all below,
 And to Thee only live.

 C. Wesley, 1762; E. Bickersteth, 1833.

GILBOA (Mount).

[H. P. 11.]

951 Ps. x. 17. "Thou wilt prepare their heart."
Tune GILBOA. L. M.

- 1 LOOK down, O Lord! and on our youth Bestow Thy gifts of heavenly grace, And let the seed of sacred truth Find in each mind a fruitful place.
- 2 Soon to appear before Thy sight, Their vow and promise to renew, Prepare them for the solemn rite, Bid each his heart and life review.

- 3 The cross that marked their infant brow, May it a faithful emblem prove That they shall keep that sacred vow, And walk as children of Thy love.
- 4 Now in the strength of power Divine, Oh! may they all, with glad accord, In holy covenant combine, And join themselves to Christ the Lord.
- 5 Thy sons and daughters may they be, Confirmed and strengthened by Thy grace; And, safe through life preserved by Thee, In heaven behold Thee face to face. Thomas Cotterill, 1821.

AVEN (Plain of).

[H. P. 79.]

952 Lev. xxiii. 17. "The first-fruits unto the Lord."

1 FAIR waved the golden corn In Canaan's pleasant land, When full of joy, some shining morn, Went forth the reaper-band.

2 To God, so good and great,
Their cheerful thanks they pour,
Then carry to His temple gate
The choicest of their store.

3 For thus the holy word, Spoken by Moses, ran: "The first ripe ears are for the Lord, The rest He gives to man." Tune Aven. S. M. Or Moravia.

4 Like Israel, Lord, we give Our earliest fruits to Thee, And pray that long as we shall live We may Thy children be.

5 Thine is our youthful prime, And life and all its powers; Be with us in our morning time, And bless our evening hours.

6 In wisdom let us grow,
As years and strength are given,
That we may serve Thy church below,
And join Thy saints in heaven.
John Hampden Gurney, 1851.



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Ps. cxix. 94. "I am Thine."
Tune Patmos. 77, 77.

- 1 THINE for ever:—God of love,
 Hear us from Thy throne above;
 Thine for ever may we be,
 Here and in eternity.
- 2 Thine for ever:—Lord of life, Shield us through our earthly strife; Thou the Life, the Truth, the Way, Guide us to the realms of day.

- 3 Thine for ever:—oh how blessed They who find in Thee their rest! Saviour, Guardian, Heavenly Friend, Oh defend us to the end.
- 4 Thine for ever:—Saviour, keep These Thy frail and trembling sheep; Safe alone beneath Thy care, Let us all Thy goodness share.
- 5 Thine for ever:—Thou our Guide, All our wants by Thee supplied, All our sins by Thee forgiven, Lead us, Lord, from earth to heaven.

Mary Fawler Maude, 1818.

MELCOMBE.

[H. P. 24.]



954 Ps. cviii. 1. "O God, my heart is fixed, I will sing and give praise." Tune MELCOMBE. L. M.

OH happy day, that fixed my choice On Thee, my Saviour, and my God; Well may this glowing heart rejoice, And tell its raptures all abroad.

2 'Tis done, the great transaction's done; I am my Lord's, and He is mine; He drew me, and I followed on, Charmed to confess the voice Divine.

- 3 Now rest, my long divided heart; Fixed on this blissful centre, rest: With ashes who would grudge to part, When called on angels' bread to feast?
- 4 Our God, who heard the solemn vow,
 That vow renewed shall daily hear,
 Till in life's latest hour I bow,
 And bless in death a bond so dear.

 Philip Doddridge, D.D., 1755.

GROSVENOR.

[H. P. 269.]



Phil. iii. 14. "I press toward the mark."
Tune GROSVENOR. 65, 65. D.

1 ONWARD, holy champion! Run the Christian race; Leave the world behind thee, heavenward set thy face:

race;
Fresh from cleansing water, bright with oil Divine,
Trained with wholesome nurture, heavenly bread
and wine.

2 Onward, holy champion! Throw all weight aside, All distracting pleasure, all encumbering pride; Shun the subtle pitfalls laid by Satan's spite; Let not smiles betray thee, let not frowns affright.



3 Onward, holy champion! Angels, bending down, Watch thy brave endeavour, guard thy future crown; Christ, thy gracious Saviour, cheers thy striving soul, And thy prize awaits thee at the heavenly goal.

Benjamin H. Kennedy, D.D., 1867.



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2 Tim. iv. 8. "Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness."

Tune HERMAS. 6 5, 6 5. D. and Chorus.

1 "ONWARD, upward, homeward!" hastily I flee, From this world of sorrow, with my Lord to be:

Onward to the glory, upward to the prize, Homeward to the mansions far above the skies. Onward to the glory, etc.

2 "Onward, upward, homeward!" Here I find no rest; Treading o'er the desert which my Saviour pressed; "Onward, upward, homeward!" I shall soon be there, [share. Soon its joys and pleasures, I, through grace, shall Onward to the glory, etc.

3 "Onward, upward, homeward!" Come along with

Ye who love the Saviour, bear me company;
"Onward, upward, homeward!" press with vigour
Yet a little moment, and the race is won! [on,
Onward to the glory, etc.

Albert Midlane, 1864.



957 Luke ix. 57. "I will follow Thee whithersoever Thou goest." Tune Mahanaim. 76, 76. D. Or Goldbach.

O JESUS, I have promised
To serve Thee to the end;
Be Thou for ever near me,
My Master and my Friend!
I shall not fear the battle
If Thou art by my side,
Nor wander from the pathway
If Thou wilt be my Guide.

2 Oh let me feel Thee near me:
The world is ever near;
I see the sights that dazzle,
The tempting sounds I hear:
My foes are ever near me,
Around me and within;
But, Jesus, draw Thou nearer,
And shield my soul from sin.

3 Oh let me hear Thee speaking In accents clear and still, Above the storms of passion, The murmurs of self will. Oh speak! to reassure me.

To hasten or control; Oh speak! to make me listen, Thou Guardian of my soul.

4 Oh! let me see Thy features,
The look that once could make
So many a true disciple
Leave all things for Thy sake;
The look that beamed on Peter,
When he Thy name denied;
The look that draws Thy lovers
Close to Thy piercèd side.

To all who follow Thee,
To all who follow Thee,
That where Thou art in glory
There shall Thy servant be;
And, Jesus, I have promised
To serve Thee to the end;
Oh give me grace to follow
My Master and my Friend!
Oh! let me see Thy footmarks,
And in them plant mine own

And in them plant mine own;
My hope to follow duly
Is in Thy strength alone.
Oh! guide me, call me, draw me,
Uphold me to the end;

Uphold me to the end; And then in heaven receive me, My Saviour and my Friend! John Ernest Bode, 1860.

See Hymns 32-40, 633-641, 695, 698.



(4) HOLY MATRIMONY.

958 Gen. i. 28. "And God blessed them."

1 THE voice that breathed o'er Eden,
That earliest wedding day,
The primal marriage blessing,
It hath not passed away.

2 Still in the pure espousal Of Christian man and maid, The Holy Three are with us, The threefold grace is said.

3 For dower of blessed children, For love and faith's sweet sake, For high, mysterious union Which naught on earth may break.

4 Be present, heavenly Father, To give away this bride, As Eve Thou gav'st to Adam, Out of his own pierced side. Tune St. Alphege. 76,76. Or Goldbach, Part L

5 Be present, gracious Saviour, To join their loving hands, As Thou didst bind two natures In Thine eternal bands.

6 Be present, Holiest Spirit, To bless them as they kneel; As Thou, for Christ the Bridegroom, The heavenly spouse dost seal.

7 Oh spread Thy pure wing o'er them, Let no ill power find place, When onward to Thy presence The hallowed path they trace,

8 To cast their crowns before Thee, In perfect sacrifice, Till to the home of gladness With Christ's own bride they rise.

John Keble, 1856.

KEDRON (Brook).

[H. P. 213.]



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Eph. v. 32. "This is a great mystery."

1 HOW blest are hearts which Christ the Lord Couples, as with a silver cord,
In nuptial unity:
That animated are with love
And aspirations from above,
O Holy Ghost, by Thee!

2 Anthems angelical were heard, When Christ, the everlasting Word, To wed His bride did come, And take that consecrated bride, Cleansed by the life-blood from His side, Unto her heavenly home.

3 Mirrored in nuptial purity, The marriage of the church we see And Christ the Bridegroom's love. Tune Kedron, 886. D.

Angels look down, and anthems sing; The Holy Dove, with golden wing, Sheds blessings from above.

4 Bless these Thy servants, gracious Lord, Whom Thou dost join in sweet accord, The bridegroom and the bride; In sorrow, sickness, and in health, In tribulation and in wealth, Be Thou their Help and Guide.

5 Be with them, Lord, as day by day
They with one heart together pray,
Thy word together read;
Together at Thy table kneel,
And with Thy blood their union seal,

On Thee together feed.

Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1832,



960 1 RAISE high the note of exultation
To God's bright throne with voices clear;
The mighty Lord of all creation

Lends to our songs a Father's ear. Eternal Lord of heaven above, Look down and bless their plighted love.

2 O'er each event of life presiding, May God rich gifts on both bestow; With heavenly light your footsteps guiding, As through the world's dark wild ye go. Eternal Lord of heaven above, etc.

3 By God's own word each action measure, Let Christ your great Exemplar be; Still fix your hearts on heavenly treasure, We hasten towards eternity.

Eternal Lord of heaven above, etc.

98, 98, 88, 4 With cheerful faith in God confide ye.

The pilgrim's staff with courage take; And, till the silent grave divide ye, God and each other ne'er forsake. Eternal Lord of heaven above, etc.

5 May peace and love, your lives adorning, Attend you all your course along; Your Christian walk, each night and morning, Oh strengthen still with prayer and song. Eternal Lord of heaven above, etc.

6 Together now your voices raising,
Vow truth to God, hand joined in hand:
Till, on His glories ever gazing,
Ye meet in heaven's own happy land.
Eternal Lord of heaven above, etc. From the German; F. E. Cox (tr.), 1834.

KENT.

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(5) THANKSGIVING AFTER CHILDBIRTH.

Ps. cxvi. 1. "I love the Lord, because He hath heard my voice." 1 ON every new-born babe of earth A heavenly light is shed, Incarnate Saviour, by Thy Birth, And from Thy lowly bed.

2 And in Thy Resurrection's morn Another birth we have; Since Thou our nature, Lord, hast borne In triumph through the grave.

3 And Thou hast made us heirs of heaven,

And sons of God to be; And glorious life to us is given Regenerate in Thee.

4 Bright angels of the King of kings His countenance behold, And, sheltering with their silver wings, Christ's little ones enfold.

5 Therefore in childbirth throes, which Eve In sorrow bore and pain, Are gleams to all who Thee receive, Of joy and endless gain.

6 Then praise the Giver of our breath. Who helps us in distress,
And guides us through the pangs of death
To life and joyfulness.

Tune Kent.

7 Oh, praise be to the loving Lord, Who heard His handmaid's prayer, And has her to His house restored, To bless His goodness there.

8 Preserve her, Lord, and with her bring Us to Thy courts above, That we together there may sing

Praise to Thy boundless love.

Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1895.

(6) SICKNESS.

962 Luke x. 5. "Say, Peace be to this house,"

1 PEACE to this house! O Thou whose way Was on the waves, whose voice did stay The wild wind's rage, Come, Lord, and say, Peace to this house!

PART I., Tune JEZREEL. 888, 4.

2 Thou who in pity for the weak Didst leave Thy heavenly throne to seek And save the lost, Come, Lord, and speak Peace to this house!



[H. P. 220.]



3 Thou, who dost all our sorrows know, And when our tears of anguish flow, Dost feel compassion, Come, bestow Peace on this house!

4 Thou, who in agony didst pray
"Take, Father, take this cup away,"
And then wast strengthened, Come and say,
Peace to this house!

5 Thou, by whose precious death we live, From which we all our hope derive, Thou Lord and Saviour! Come and give Peace to this house! 6 Thou who didst hang upon the tree, Uniting God and man in Thee, And wert our peace, Come, Lord, and be Peace to this house!

7 O Conqueror by suffering! O mighty Victor, glorious King! From out of pain and sorrow bring Peace to this house!

8 Thou who triumphant from the dead Thine hands didst o'er the' apostles spread, And say, "Peace to you," Come, and shed Peace on this house!

THYATIRA. (HYMN CHANT.)

[H. P. No. V.]



PART II. Tune, Hymn Chant THYATIRA.

9 Thou who didst on the clouds ascend, And then the Holy Spirit send, Send Him to comfort and defend All in this house.

10 Save, save us sinking in the deep, Give ease from pain, and quiet sleep, And under Thy wing's shelter keep All in this house.

11 Oh, make our doubts and terrors cease, And from the bands of sin release, In soul and body give us peace, Peace to this house!

- 12 "Peace to this house," come, Lord, and say; Come to us, Lord, and with us stay; Oh give, and never take away, Peace from this house.
- 13 And when at last our fainting breath On trembling lips searce quivereth, Oh, bring us through the gate of Death, Lord, to Thine house;
- 14 To Thine own house in paradise,
 To Thine own house above the skies,
 To live the life that never dies,
 Lord, in Thine house.

 Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1865.

GOLDBACH. (PART I.)

[H. P. 130.]



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Ps. civ. 34. "My meditation of Him shall be sweet." Tune GOLDBACH, Part I. 76,76.

1 I THINK of Thee, O Saviour!
And count affliction gain,
If aught of suffering aid me
To realize Thy pain.

2 I think of Thee, O Saviour! And bless the chastening rod, Conforming to Thine image, Thou chastened Son of God.

3 My sufferings no atonement For sin could make to God: Alone, of all the people, Thou hast the winepress trod. 4 So there is naught of anger In this, my Father's stroke; He is but gently teaching My neck to bear Thy yoke.

5 Oh! 'tis well-nigh presumption, In sufferings light as mine, To speak, my stricken Saviour, Of fellowship with Thine!

6 I would press closer to Thee, A heavier cross would bear, So I might better know Theo And more Thy spirit share. 7 It was Thy cloud which led me All through the joyous day; But now the fiery pillar Is shining on my way.

8 And I shall better praise Thee, Seeing Thee thus by night, Than if the desert pathway Had all been tracked in light

9 I had been lost for ever, Hadst Thou not thought on me: Cold is my heart and selfish, Yet, Lord, I think of Thee.

Jennette Threlfall, 1853.

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BOHEMIA.

[H. P. 268.1



964 Luke xxii. 32. "I have prayed for thee." Tune BOHEMIA. Or St. BARNABAS. 65, 65. D.

- 1 IN the hour of trial, Jesu, pray for me; Lest by base denial I depart from Thee: When Thou seest me waver, With a look recall, Nor for fear or favour Suffer me to fall.
- With its witching pleasures Would this vain world charm, Or its sordid treasures Spread to work me harm? Bring to my remembrance Sad Gethsemane, Or, in darker semblance, Cross-crowned Calvary.

[H. P. 106.]



3 If with sore affliction Thou in love chastise, Pour Thy benediction On the sacrifice: Then, upon Thine altar Freely offered up, Though the flesh may falter, Faith shall drink the cup.

4 When in dust and ashes To the grave I sink, While heaven's glory flashes O'er the shelving brink, On Thy truth relying Through that mortal strife, Lord, receive me dying To eternal life.

James Montgomery, 1825.



LUXEMBURG.

ST. BARNABAS.

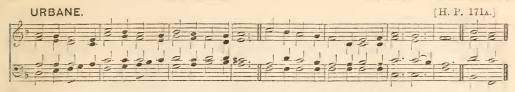
[H. P. 152.]



965 ¹ Pet. ii. 21. "Christ also suffered for us." Tune LUXEMBURG. 77, 77.

- 1 SEE the destined day arise, See a willing Sacrifice; Jesus, to redeem our loss, Hangs upon the shameful cross.
- 2 Jesu, who but Thou had borne, Lifted on that tree of scorn, Every pang and bitter throe, Finishing Thy life of woe?

- 3 Who but Thou had dared to drain, Steeped in gall, the cup of pain; And with tender body bear Thorns, and nails, and piercing spear?
- 4 Thence the cleansing water flowed, Mingled from Thy side with blood: Sign to all attesting eyes Of the finished Sacrifice.
- 5 Holy Jesu, grant us grace In that Sacrifice to place All our trust for life renewed, Pardoned sin, and promised good. Bishop Mant (tr.), 1837.



John xii. 26. "Let him follow Me." 966 Tune URBANE. 85, 83. Or PRAGUE.

ART thou weary, art thou languid, Art thou sore distressed? "Come to Me," saith One, "and coming, Be at rest."

2 Hath He marks to lead me to Him. If He be my Guide?
"In His feet and hands are wound prints,
And His side."

3 Is there diadem, as Monarch, That His brow adorns? "Yea, a crown, in very surety, But of thorns."

See Hymn 1079.

4 If I find Him, if I follow, What His guerdon here? "Many a sorrow, many a labour, Many a tear."

5 If I still hold closely to Him, What hath He at last? "Sorrow vanquished, labour ended, Jordan passed.

6 If I ask Him to receive me,
Will He say me nay?
"Not till earth and not till heaven Pass away.

7 Finding, following, keeping, struggling, Is He sure to bless? "Saints, apostles, prophets, martyrs, Answer, Yes."

Greek Hymn, Eighth Century; J. M. Neale, D.D. (tr.), 1862.

967 1 Cor. iii. 22. "Life or death . . . all are yours." Tune STERNBERG.

ALL things are ours; how abundant the treasure, All riches which heaven or earth can afford! Oh, may our thanks, like His grace, without measure,

Abound to the glory and praise of our Lord!

2 All things are ours; be it sickness or healing, Tis ordered alike for our infinite good;
Determined by grace, and for ever revealing
This truth, that we love and are loved of our God.

3 All things are ours; though the body may perish, We faint not to feel it fast wasting away; The soul its bright visions of glory will cherish, And strengthen in holiness day after day.

4 All things are ours; yea, the present affliction, Though now through the gloom of mortality viewed;

For soon shall we join in the blissful conviction. That thus it was good to be tried and subdued.

5 All things are ours; through the Saviour's merit, The shame of His cross, which must needs be our own,

Will brighten the glory that circles the spirit And sparkles like gems in our heavenly crown. James Holme, 1861.





968 1 Cor. xv. 3, 4. (Verse 1 minor; verse 2 major.) 1 SHALL I fear, O earth, thy bosom, Shrink and faint to lay me there, Whence the fragrant, lovely blossom Springs to gladden earth and air?

"Christ died

Whence the tree, the brook, the river, Soft clouds floating in the sky, All fair things, come whispering ever Of the love Divine on high?

Tune LINUS.

87, 87.



2 Yea, whence One arose victorious O'er the darkness of the grave; His strong arm revealing, glorious In its might Divine to save.

See Hymns 517, 582, 791.

No, fair earth! a tender mother Thou hast been, and yet canst be; And through Him, my Lord and Brother, Sweet shall be my rest in thee.

Thomas Davis, 1860.

D.C.al fine.



(7) MORE FRUIT.

969 John xv. 8. "Herein is My Father glorified, that ye bear much fruit."

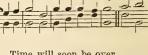
Tune FIDES. 65, 65. D.

Or HERMAS.

- 1 SAVIOUR, blessed Saviour,
 Listen whilst we sing,
 Hearts and voices raising
 Praises to our King.
 All we have to offer;
 All we hope to be,
 Body, soul, and spirit,
 All we yield to Thee.
- 2 Nearer, ever nearer,
 Christ, we draw to Thee,
 Deep in adoration
 Bending low the knee:
 Thou for our redemption
 Camest on earth to die;
 Thou, that we might follow,
 Hast gone up on high.
- 3 Great and ever greater
 Are Thy mercies here,
 True and everlasting
 Are the glories there,
 Where no pain or sorrow,
 Toil or care, is known,
 Where the angel legions
 Circle round Thy throne.
- 4 Dark and ever darker
 Was the wintry past,
 Now a ray of gladness
 O'er our path is cast;
 Every day that passeth,
 Every hour that flies,
 Tells of love unfeigned,
 Love that never dies.

PART II.

- 5 Clearer still and clearer
 Dawns the light from heaven,
 In our sadness bringing
 News of sin forgiven;
 Life has lost its shadows,
 Pure the light within;
 Thou hast shed Thy radiance
 On a world of sin.
- 6 Brighter still and brighter Glows the western sun, Shedding all its gladness O'er our work that's done;



- Time will soon be over, Toil and sorrow past; May we, blessèd Saviour, Find a rest at last.
- 7 Onward, ever onward,
 Journeying o'er the road
 Worn by saints before us,
 Journeying on to God;
 Leaving all behind us,
 May we hasten on,
 Backward never looking
 Till the prize is won.
- 8 Bliss, all bliss excelling,
 When the ransomed soul
 Earthly toils forgetting
 Finds its promised goal;
 Where, in joys unheard of,
 Saints with angels sing,
 Never weary raising
 Praises to their King. Amen.

Godfrey Thring, 1866.

970 Heb. xiii. 15. "The fruit of our lips."

1 HAVE you not a word for Jesus? not a word to say for Him? He is listening through the chorus of the burning

seraphim.

He is listening: does He hear you speaking of the

things of earth, Only of its passing pleasure, selfish sorrow, empty mirth?

He has spoken words of blessing, pardon, peace,

and love to you,

Glorious hopes and gracious comfort, strong and tender, sweet and true; Does He hear you telling others something of His

love untold, Overflowings of thanksgiving for His mercies

manifold?

2 Have you not a word for Jesus? Will the world His praise proclaim?

Who shall speak if ye are silent, ye who know and love His name? You, whom He hath called and chosen His own witnesses to be,

Will you tell your gracious Master, "Lord, we cannot speak for Thee!"
"Cannot!" though He suffered for you, died be-

cause He loved you so!
"Cannot!" though He has forgiven, making scarlet

white as snow!
"Cannot!" though His grace abounding is your

freely promised aid!
"Cannot!" though He stands beside you, though
He says "Be not afraid!"

3 What shall be our word for Jesus? Master, give it day by day, Ever as the need arises, teach Thy children what

to say. Give us

humility, That of self we may be emptied, and our hearts be full of Thee.

15 15, 15 15, Or SALZBURG. Tune LINUS (Major).

Give us zeal and faith and fervour, make us winning, make us wise,

Single-hearted, strong and fearless: Thou hast called us, we will rise! Let the might of Thy good Spirit go with every

loving word, And by hearts prepared and opened be our message always heard.

4 Yes, we have a word for Jesus! Living echoes we will be

Of Thine own sweet words of blessing, of Thy gracious "Come to Me!"

Jesus, Master! yes, we love Thee! and to prove our love would lay

Fruit of lips which Thou wilt open, at Thy blessèd feet to-day

Give us grace to follow fully, vanquishing our faithless shame, Feebly it may be, but truly, witnessing for Thy

dear name. Ours shall be the joy and honour Thy redeemed ones to bring,

Jewels for the coronation of our coming Lord and King.

5 Yes, we have a word for Jesus! We will bravely speak for Thee;
And Thy bold and faithful soldiers, Saviour, we would henceforth be;
In Thy name set up our banners, while Thine own shall wave above.

With Thy crimson name of Mercy, and Thy golden name of Love.

Help us lovingly to labour, looking for Thy present

smile, Looking for Thy promised blessing, through the brightening "little while." Words for Thee in weakness spoken Thou wilt here accept and own,

And confess them in Thy glory, when we see Thee on Thy throne.

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1871.

EIRENE.

[H. P. 246.]

(8) OLD AGE.

John xii. 21. "We would see Jesus." Tune EIRENE. 11 10, 11 10.

1 WE would see Jesus-for the shadows lengthen Across the little landscape of our life; We would see Jesus, our weak faith to strengthen For the last weariness, the final strife.

2 We would see Jesus-for life's hand hath rested. With its dark touch, upon both heart and brow; And though our souls have many a billow breasted, Others are rising in the distance now.

3 We would see Jesus-the great rock foundation Whereon our feet were set by sovereign grace; Not life, nor death, with all their agitation, Can thence remove us if we see His face.



4 We would see Jesus-though the spirit lingers Round the dear objects it has loved so long, And earth from earth can scarce unclose its fingers, Our love to Thee makes not this love less strong.

5 We would see Jesus-this is all we're needing. Strength, joy, and willingness come with the sight; We would see Jesus, dying, risen, pleading—
Then welcome day, and farewell mortal night. Leaflet, Taylor, Edinburgh, 1864.



Isa. xlvi. 4. "To hoar hairs will I carry you." M kneeling at the threshold, aweary, faint, and [the door : sore; I'm waiting for the dawning, for the opening of I'm waiting till the Master shall bid me rise and come

To the glory of His presence, the gladness of His home. 2 A weary path I've travelled, 'mid darkness, storm, and strife.

Bearing many a burden, contending for my life; But now the morn is breaking, my toil will soon be o'er.

I'm kneeling at the threshold, my hand is at the door.

3 Methinks I hear the voices of the blessed, as they

Sweet singing in the sunshine of the unclouded land: See Hymns 571, 582.

Tune Goldbach. 76, 76. D.

Oh! would that I were with them, amid the shining throng!

Uniting in their worship, rejoicing in their song! 4 The friends that started with me have entered long ago;
Ah! one by one they left me to struggle with the
Their pilgrimage was shorter, their triumph sooner

won . How lovingly they'll hail me, when my work too is 5 With them the blessed angels that know no grief or

I see them at the portals, prepared to let me in; O Lord, I wait Thy pleasure, Thy time and way are best; [me rest! But I'm wasted, worn, and weary; my Father, bid

CYPRUS.

[H. P. 26.]

W. L. Alexander, D.D., 1860.



(9) DEATH. 1 Thess. iv. 14. "Them which sleep in Jesus.

1 A SLEEP in Jesus! blessed sleep, From which none ever wakes to weep, A calm and undisturbed repose, Unbroken by the last of foes.

2 Asleep in Jesus! oh, how sweet To be for such a slumber meet! With holy confidence to sing That death has lost his venomed sting. Tune CYPRUS. L. M.

3 Asleep in Jesus! peaceful rest, Whose waking is supremely blest; No fear, no foe, shall dim that hour That manifests the Saviour's power.

4 Asleep in Jesus! oh, for me May such a blissful refuge be; Securely shall my ashes lie, Waiting the summons from on high! Margaret Mackay, 1832.

Ps. xxiii. 4. "Thou art with me."

¹ B^E with me in the valley, When heart and flesh shall fail, And softly, safely lead me on Until within the veil; Then faith shall turn to gladness, To find myself with Thee, And trembling hope shall realize Her full felicity.

2 Angels shall gather round me, And joyous greeting give,
A sinner brought from sinful earth,
With them in bliss to live.
But angels shall be silent, While dearer spirits press,
To mingle with my gushing joy
Their calmer happiness.

Tune GOLDBACH. 76, 76. D.

3 And gently shall they bear me, Through that bright company,
Towards the brighter throne of Him
Who died to ransom me;
No further guidance needing, Together shall we bend,
And bless the grace that loving once
Hath loved me to the end.

4 Be with me in the valley, When heart and flesh shall fail, When leart and thesh shah lah,
And softly, safely lead me on
Until within the veil.
And, Saviour, deal as gently
With those I leave behind,
Till each shall in our heavenly home

As sweet a welcome find.

Elizabeth Glyde, 1810.



975 Tune SEIR. 77, 77. D.

1 DEATHLESS principle, arise; Soar, thou native of the skies; Pearl of price, by Jesus bought, To His glorious likeness wrought, Go, to shine before His throne; Deck His mediatorial crown;

Go, His triumphs to adorn; Made for God, to God return.

2 Lo, He beckons from on high! Fearless to His presence fly Thine the merit of His blood Thine the righteousness of God. Angels, joyful to attend, Hovering round thy pillow bend; Wait to catch the signal given, And escort thee quick to heaven.

3 Is thy earthly house distressed, Willing to retain her guest? 'Tis not thou, but she must die: Fly, celestial tenant, fly. Burst thy shackles, drop thy clay, Sweetly breathe thyself away, Singing to thy crown remove; Swift of wing, and fired with love. PART II.

4 Shudder not to pass the stream; Venture all thy care on Him; Him, whose dying love and power Stilled its tossing, hushed its roar. Safe is the expanded wave, Gentle as a summer's eve; Not one object of His care Ever suffered shipwreck there.

5 See the haven full in view! Love Divine shall bear thee through. Trust to that propitious gale, Weigh thy anchor, spread thy sail. Saints in glory, perfect made, Wait thy passage through the shade; Ardent for thy coming o er, See they throng the blissful shore.

6 Mount, their transports to improve; Join the longing choir above; Swiftly to their wish be given; Kindle higher joy in heaven. Such the prospects that arise To the dying Christian's eyes! Such the glorious vista faith Opens through the shades of death! Augustus M. Toplady, 1778.

976 1 Thess. iv. 18. "Comfort . . . with these words." Tune PEOR. 10 10, 11 10, D.

1 OH! call it not death-it is life begun. For the waters are passed, the home is won; The ransomed spirit hath reached the shore Where they weep, and suffer, and sin no more. She is safe in her Father's house above, In the place prepared by her Saviour's love; To depart from a world of sin and strife, And to be with Jesus—yes, this is life.

2 Oh! call it not death—'tis a holy sleep, And the precious dust the Lord doth keep; She shall wake again, and how satisfied! With the likeness of Him for her who died. As He rose again she shall also rise, From the quiet bed where now safe she lies; Then cheer ye, fond mourners, who sadly weep, For happy are they who in Jesus sleep.

3 Oh! call it not death—'tis a glorious rest,
"Yea, saith the Spirit," for all such are blest;
"They rest from their labours," their work is done,
The goal is attained, the weary race run,
The battle is fought, the struggle is o'er,
The crown now replaces the cross they bore,
The pilgrimage path shall no more be trod,
A rest remains to the people of God.

E. E. H. 1834. E. E. H., 1864.





Titus ii. 13. "Looking for that blessed hope."

1 'TIS sweet to think of those at rest, Who sleep in Christ the Lord; Whose spirits now with Him are blest, According to His word.

2 They once were pilgrims here with us, In Jesus now they sleep; And we for them, while resting thus, As hopeless cannot weep.

3 The Lord who died in triumph rose Victorious o'er the tomb;
E'en so we know that, with Him, those
Who sleep in Him will come. Tune KENT. C. M. Or FARRANT.

4 How bright the resurrection morn On all the saints will break! The Lord Himself will then return His ransomed church to take.

5 The raised and living saints will meet, All grief and care removed; What joy 'twill be to us to greet Each saint whom here we loved!

6 Our Lord Himself we then shall see, Whose blood for us was shed; With Him for ever we shall be, Made like our glorious Head.

Samuel P. Tregelles, LL.D., 1846.

SAXONY. [H. P. 32.]



2 Cor. v. 10. "We must all appear before the judgment-seat of Christ." Tune SAXONY. L. M.

1 OFT as the bell with solemn toll Speaks the departure of a soul; Let each one ask himself,—"Am I Prepared, should I be called to die?"

2 Only this frail and fleeting breath Preserves me from the jaws of death; Soon as it fails, at once I'm gone, And plunged into a world unknown.

(Mount).

3 Then, leaving all I love below, To God's tribunal I must go; Must hear the Judge pronounce my fate, And fix my everlasting state.

4 Lord Jesus, help me now to flee, And seek my hope alone in Thee; Apply Thy blood, Thy Spirit give, Subdue my sin, and let me live. 5 Then when the solemn bell I hear,

If saved from guilt, I need not fear; Nor would the thought distressing be,—"Perhaps it next may toll for me!"

6 My spirit rather would rejoice And long, and wish, to hear Thy voice; Glad when it bids me earth resign, Secure of heaven, if Thou art mine. John Newton, 1774.

See Hymns 455--457. CARMEL

[H. P. 69.]



BURIAL. "Blessed are the dead which die Rev. xiv. 13. in the Lord."

Tune CARMEL. C. M. 1 HEAR what the voice from heaven proclaims, For all the pious dead; Sweet is the savour of their names, And soft their sleeping bed.

2 They die in Jesus, and are blessed; How kind their slumbers are! From sufferings and from sins released, And freed from every snare.

3 Far from this world of toil and strife, They're present with the Lord; The labours of their mortal life End in a large reward. Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.

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Ps. cxvi. 15. "Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints." 65, 65. D. Tune St. BARNABAS.

1 LAY the precious body In the quiet grave; Tis the Lord hath taken, Twas the Lord that gave:

Till the resurrection, Lay the treasure by; It will then awaken, And go up on high!

2 Farewell, blessèd body, Till the morn arise: Welcome, happy spirit, Into paradise!

No more work or weeping, Gone for ever home; In Christ's holy keeping Rest until He come.



3 Thou art gone to the grave! and, its mansion for-

Perchance thy weak spirit in fear lingered long;

thee,
Whose God was thy Ransom, thy Guardian, and
He gave thee, He took thee, and He will restore thee,
And death has no sting, for the Saviour has died!
Bishop Heber, 1827.



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John xi. 25. "Jesus said, I am the Resurrection, and the Life."

Tune St. BRIDE.

S. M.

- 1 WE hear the tolling bell, We see the bier and pall; Bearers and mourners clothed in black; The solemn funeral.
- 2 We see the open grave, We hear the sobbing moan, When earth to earth and dust to dust Falls on the coffin thrown.
- 3 We hear the holy prayers, We see the closed ground, Where naught appears to human eye, Except a heaving mound.
- 4 But bearers robed in white Appear not to our eyes; The angels, wafting on their wings The soul to paradise.
- 5 We do not see the souls Which there enjoy repose, And taste such bliss as here on earth No heart of mortal knows.
- 6 We see not yet the joys,
 Joys that the just await,
 When they will stand with bodies raised,
 Lord, at Thy palace gate.

See Hymns 245-247, 250, 259.

- 7 Lift from our hearts the veil, And help us by Thy light To see the world unseen, and walk By faith, and not by sight.
- 8 O gracious Lord, to Thee We praise and glory give! For Thou didst die and rise again, That we might ever live.
- 9 O Death, where is thy sting? Grave, where thy victory? Death and the grave are now the path To life that cannot die.
- 10 The Way, the Truth, the Life, O mighty Lord, art Thou, The Resurrection from the dead, To Thee shall all things bow.
- 11 Then wherefore mourn for those
 Who fall asleep in Thee?
 They have begun to live the life
 Of immortality.
- 12 Then praise we, praise the Lord, The Father, and the Son, And Holy Ghost, whose breath is Life, Eternal Three in One.

Bishop Christopher Wordsworth, 1502,

IV .- The Tife to Come.

(1) THE FIRST RESURRECTION.

984 1 John iii. 2. "We shall be like Him; jor we shall see Him as He is."

Tune HAVILAH. 87, 87, 47.

1 'MID the splendours of the glory Which we hope ere long to share; Christ our Head, and we His members, Shall appear, divinely fair. Oh how glorious! When we meet Him in the air.

2 From the dateless, timeless periods,
He has loved us without cause;
And for all His blood-bought myriads
His is love that knows no pause.
Matchless Lover!
Changeless as the ternal laws.

3 Oh what gifts shall yet be granted, Palms, and crowns, and robes of white, When the hope for which we panted Bursts upon our gladdened sight, And our Saviour Makes us glorious through His might.

4 Bright the prospect, soon that greets us,
Of that longed for nuptial day,
When our heavenly Bridegroom meets us
On His kingly conquering way;
In the glory.

In the glory,
Bride and Bridegroom reign for aye!
William Reid, D.D., 1863.



CHESALON (Mount).

[H. P. 35.]



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1 Cor. xv. 52. "The trumpet shall sound."

- 1 HARK to the trump! behold it breaks
 The sleep of ages now;
 And lo! the light of glory shines
 On many an aching brow.
- 2 Changed in a moment, raised to life, The quick, the dead arise, Responsive to the angel's voice, That calls us to the skies.
- 3 Ascending through the crowded air, On eagles' wings we soar, To dwell in the full joy of love, And sorrow there no more.
- 4 Undazzled by the glorious light Of that beloved Brow, We see, without a single eloud, We see the Saviour now.

Tune CHESALON.

- 5 O Lord! the bright and blessed hope That eheered us through the past, Of full eternal rest in Thee, Is all fulfilled at last.
- 6 The cry of sorrow here is hushed, The voice of prayer is o'er; 'Tis needless now; for, Lord, we erave Thy gracious help no more.
- 7 Praise, endless praise, alone becomes This bright and blessèd place, Where every eye beholds unveiled The mysteries of grace.
- 8 Past conflict here, O Lord, 'tis ours, Through everlasting days, To sing our song of victory now, And only live to praise.

Sir Edward Denny, 1846.

C. M.



986 Rom. viii. 18. "The glory which shall be revealed in us."

Tune Eastham. 76, 86. D.

- 1 TEN thousand times ten thousand, In sparkling raiment bright, The armies of the ransomed saints Throng up the steeps of light: 'Tis finished—all is finished, Their fight with death and sin; Fling open wide the golden gates, And let the victors in.
- 2 What rush of Hallelujahs Fills all the earth and sky!

What ringing of a thousand harps Bespeaks the triumph nigh! O day! for which creation And all its tribes were made: O joy! for all its former woes A thousandfold repaid.

3 Oh then what raptured greetings On Canaan's happy shore! What knitting severed friendships up, Where partings are no more. Then eyes with joy shall sparkle, That brimmed with tears of late: No longer orphans fatherless,

Nor widows desolate. [Repeat verse 1.]

Dean Alford, D.D., 1:67.



987 1 Cor. xv. 54. "Death is swallowed up in victory." Tune MAMRE. 88, 88, 88,

1 WE sing His love, who once was slain, Who soon o'er death revived again, That all His saints through Him might have Eternal conquest o'er the grave. Soon shall the trumpet sound, and we Shall rise to immortality.

2 The saints who now in Jesus sleep His own almighty power shall keep, Till dawns the bright illustrious day. When death itself shall die away. Soon shall, etc.

3 How loud shall our glad voices sing, When Christ His risen saints shall bring From beds of dust and silent clay, To realms of everlasting day! Soon shall, etc.

4 When Jesus we in glory meet, Our utmost joys shall be complete; When landed on that heavenly shore, Death and the curse will be no more! Soon shall, etc.

Rowland Hill, 1796.

[H. P. 208.]

See Hymns 253, 254, 259.

(2) THE GENERAL RESURREC-TION.

Rev. xi. 18. "The time of the dead is come, that they should

be judged. Tune ALTORF. 87, 87, 887.

1 GREAT God, what do I see and

hear,
The end of things created!
The Judge of mankind doth appear, On clouds of glory seated. The trumpet sounds, the graves restore

The dead which they contained before:

Prepare, my soul, to meet Him.

2 The dead in Christ shall first arise, At the last trumpet's sounding, Caught up to meet Him in the skies, With joy their Lord surrounding. No gloomy fears their souls dismay, His presence sheds eternal day On those prepared to meet Him.

3 But sinners, filled with guilty fears, Behold His wrath prevailing; For they shall rise, and find their tears And sighs are unavailing:

ALTORF; or, LUTHER'S HYMN.



The day of grace is past and gone, Trembling, they stand before the throne, All unprepared to meet Him.

4 Great God, what do I see and hear, The end of things created! The Judge of mankind doth appear, On clouds of glory seated.

Beneath His cross I view the day
When heaven and earth shall pass away, And thus prepare to meet Him.
B. Ringwaldt, 1550; W. B. Collyer, D.D., 1812.

989 2 Thess. i. 8. "In flaming fire taking vengeance." 87, 87, 47. Tune TEKOA.

¹ D^{AY} of vengeance! loud resounding, Hark! the thrilling trumpet's swell, Peal on peal o'er earth rebounding, Nature's universal knell,

Deeply echoing, Bursts the bands of death and hell,

2 O'er the ruins of creation See on high the Crucified,
'Mid the widening devastation,
On the wings of whirlwinds ride,
Man before Him Bows the spirit of his pride.

TEKOA (Wilderness of). [H. P. 200.]



3 Lo! the dead in thronging numbers, Awestruck at His stern command, Springing from their iron slumbers, Round the dread tribunal stand. View with trembling Judgment in His red right hand.

4 O Immanuel! spirit broken, At Thy pierced feet I lie:
What my hope? Behold that token!
See that blood-stained cross on high! Glorious symbol, Brightly beaming on my eye.

5 By Thy griefs on wild or mountain, By Thine agonising groan, By Thy life-spring's purple fountain, By Thy dark sepulchral stone, O Immanuel, Save me, prostrate at Thy throne!



John A. Latrobe, 1825.





3 Quick reels the bursting earth, Rocked by a storm of wrath, Hurled from her sphere. Major: ver. 4 to 8.

Heartrending thunders roll, Demons tormented howl: Great God, support my soul, Yielding to fear.

PART II.

4 O my Redeemer, come! And through the fearful gloom Brighten Thy way; How would our souls arise, Soar through the flaming skies, Join the solemnities Of this great day!

5 See! see! the' incarnate God Swiftly emits abroad Glories benign; Lo! lo! He comes, He's here; Angels and saints appear, Fled is my every fear, Jesus is mine.

6 High on a flaming throne Rides the eternal Son, Sovereign august! Worlds from His presence fly, Shrink at His majesty: Stars, dashed along the sky, Awfully burst.

John v. 28, 29. "All that 990 are in the graves shall hear His voice, and shall come forth."

Tune Moscow. 664, 6664. Ver. 1, 2, 3, minor; ver. 4 to 8 major.

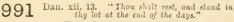
1 HARK! 'tis the trump of God Sounds through the realms Time is no more. [Horrors invest the skies [abroad, Graves burst, and myriads rise; Nature, in agonies, Yields up her store.

2 Changed in a moment's space, Lo the affrighted race Shriek and despair Now they attempt to flee, Curse immortality, And eye their misery Dreadfully near.



7 Thousands of thousands wait Round the judicial seat, Glorified there; Prostrate the elders fall, Winged is my raptured soul, High to the Judge of all, Lo! I draw near.

8 O my approving God! Washed in Thy precious blood, Bold I advance; Fearless we range along, Join the triumphant throng, Shout an ecstatic song Through the expanse. Admiral Kempenfelt, 1777.



Tune SIHOR. 77, 77, 77.

WHEN this passing world is done,
When has sunk you glaring sun,
When we stand with Christ in glory,
Looking o'er life's finished story,
Then, Lord, shall I fully know,—
Not till then,—how much I owe.

When I hear the wicked call On the rocks and hills to fall: When I see them start and shrink, On the fiery deluge brink; Then, Lord, shall I fully know,— Not till then, -how much I owe,

3 When I stand before the throne, Dressed in beauty not my own; When I see Thee as Thou art, Love Thee with unsinning heart; Then, Lord, shall I fully know.— Not till then,—how much I owe.

4 When the praise of heaven I hear, Loud as thunders to the ear. Loud as many waters' noise, Sweet as harp's melodious voice; Then, Lord, shall I fully know,— Not till then,—how much I owe.

5 Even on earth, as through a glass, Darkly, let Thy glory pass; Make forgiveness feel so sweet, Make Thy Spirit's help so meet; Even on earth, Lord, make me know Something of how much I owe. See Hymns 301, 314.

SIHOR (River). [H. P. 158.]

> 6 Chosen not for good in me. Wakened up from wrath to flee, Hidden in the Saviour's side, By the Spirit sanctified! Teach me, Lord, on earth to show, By my love, how much I owe. Robert Murray McCheyne, 1837.

PARAN (Wilderness of).

[H. P. 241.]



(3) THE GREAT DAY OF JUDGMENT.

"Then shall they see the Son of man coming in a cloud with power and great glory." 992 Luke xxi. 27. Tune PARAN. 11 11, 11 11, Or PEOR.

1 THE chariot! the chariot! its wheels roll on fire, As the Lord cometh down in the pomp of His ire;

Self-moving, it drives on its pathway of cloud, And the heavens with the burden of Godhead are bowed.

2 The glory! the glory! By myriads are poured The hosts of the angels to wait on their Lord; And the glorified saints, and the martyrs, are there, And all who the palm wreath of victory wear.

3 The trumpet! the trumpet! The dead have all heard;

Lo! the depths of the stone-covered charnels are stirred:

From the sea, from the land, from the south and the north.

The vast generations of man are come forth. 4 The judgment! the judgment! the thrones are all set, Where the Lamb and the white-vested elders are

met s All flesh is at once in the sight of the Lord, And the doom of eternity hangs on His word.

5 O Saviour, Redeemer, look down from above, O Father! on us, Thy own children, with love; When beneath to their darkness the wicked are driven.

May our purified souls find a mansion in heaven. Dean Henry Hart Milman, D.D., 1827.

993 Matt. xxv. 31. "Then shall He sit upon the throne of His glory."

Tune PARAN. 11 11, 11 11. Or PEOR.

1 THE throne of His glory! As snow it is white, Upborne in the air by the legions of light: And startled to life by the trumpet's last sound, The hosts of the nations stand waiting around.

The throne of His glory! There lieth unsealed The life roll, the death roll, of names ne'er revealed, Now secret no longer; the millions divide, To the right and the left, on the throne's either 3 The throne of His glory! And glorious there stand The elect of His love, and the sheep of His hand; While dark on His left, shrunk away from His face, The lost ones that sought not the throne of His grace.

4 The throne of His glory! My poor trembling soul, Oh what, when arraigned there, thy dread shall control, Of that doom of the exiled "Ye gursed depart!"

Of that doom of the exiled, "Ye cursed, depart!" For ever and ever to toll on the heart.

5 From thy Father an exile? Thy home never see? No, child of His mercy, unchanging and free, Ere creation begun, in the councils of love He wrote thee an heir of His kingdom above.

W. A. Muhlenberg, D.D., 1539.

994 ² Tim. i. 18, "The Lord grant unto him that he may find mercy of the Lord in that day."

Tune DIES IRÆ. 888.

1 DAY of wrath, O day of mourning!

See the Crucified returning, Heaven and earth in ashes burning! Oh, what fear man's bosom rendeth, When from heaven the Judge descendeth On whose sentence all dependeth!

2 Wondrous sound the trumpet flingeth; Through earth's sepulchres it ringeth; All before the throne it bringeth. Death is struck, and nature quaking: All creation is awaking. To its Judge an answer making.

3 Lo, the book exactly worded, Wherein all hath been recorded: Thence shall judgment be awarded.

DIES IRÆ. PART I. [H. P. 218.]

When the Judge His seat attaineth, And each hidden deed arraigneth, Nothing unavenged remaineth.

4 What shall I, frail man, be pleading; Who for me be interceding, When the just are mercy needing? King of Majesty tremendous, Who dost free salvation send us, Fount of pity, then befriend us.

PART II.

PART II.

5 Think, kind Jesu, my salvation Caused Thy wondrous incarnation: Leave me not to desolation: Faint and weary, Thou hast sought me, On the cross of suffering bought Shall such grace be vainly brought me?

6 Righteous Judge, for sin's pollution Grant Thy gift of absolution, Ere that day of retribution. Guilty, now I pour my moaning, All my shame with anguish owning: Spare, O God, Thy suppliant groaning.

7 Thou the sinful woman savedst; Thou the dying thief forgavest; And to me a hope vouchsafest. Worthless are my prayers and sighing; Yet, good Lord, in grace complying, Rescue me from fires undying.

8 With Thy favoured sheep oh place me; Nor among the goats abase me; But to Thy right hand upraise me. Low I kneel with heart submission; See, like ashes, my contrition; Save, oh! save me from perdition.

PART III.

9 Ah, that day of tears and mourning! From the dust of earth return-

From the dust of earth returning, Man for judgment must pre-

pare him; Spare, O God, in mercy spare

him, Lord, all pitying, Jesu blest, Grant us Thine eternal rest. Amen.

Thomas of Celano, 1230; William J. Irons, D.D. (tr.), 1848.





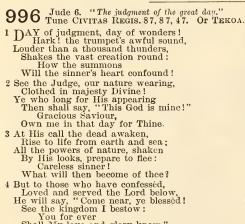
John xiv. 3. "I will come again." Tune ZOHELETH. 87, 87, 887. 1 THE Lord of might, from Sinai's brow,

Gave forth His voice of thunder; And Israel lay on earth below, Outstretched in fear and wonder. Beneath His feet was pitchy night, And, at His left hand and His right, The rocks were rent asunder.

2 The Lord of love, on Calvary, A meek and suffering Stranger,

Upraised to heaven His languid eye. In nature's hour of danger. For us He bore the weight of woe, For us He gave His blood to flow, And met His Father's anger. 3 The Lord of love and Lord of might,

The King of all created,
Shall back return to claim His right,
On clouds of glory seated: With trumpet sound and angel song, And Hallelujahs loud and long
O'er death and hell defeated. Bishop Heber, 1827.







1 THAT day of wrath, that dreadful day, When heaven and earth shall pass away; What power shall be the sinner's stay? How shall he meet that dreadful day?

2 When, shivering like a parched scroll, The flaming heavens together roll;

When, louder yet, and yet more dread, Swells the high trump that wakes the dead!

3 Oh, on that day, that wrathful day, When man to judgment wakes from clay, Bc Thou the trembling sinner's stay, Though heaven and earth shall pass away.

Sir Walter Scott. 1805.



The light so new and golden,

The light that is but one.

An endless Sabbath

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day.

To terminate the evil

To diadem the right.



Part II. 4 Brief life is *here* our portion, Brief sorrow, short-lived care; The life that knows no ending. The tearless life, is there.

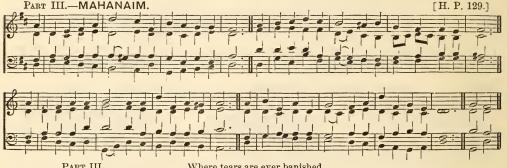
O happy retribution! Short toil, eternal rest; For mortals and for sinners A mansion with the blest!

5 And now we fight the battle, But then shall wear the crown Of full and everlasting And passionless renown: And now we watch and struggle, And now we live in hope, And Zion, in her anguish, With Babylon must cope:

6 For He whom now we trust in Shall then be seen and known And they that know and see Him Shall have Him for their own. With light that hath no evening, And health that hath no sore,

And life that hath no ending, But lasteth evermore.

7 The morning shall awaken, The shadows shall decay, And each true-hearted servant Shall shine as doth the day: Yes! God our King and portion, In fulness of His grace, We then shall see for ever, And worship face to face.



PART III.

8 For thee, O dear, dear country, Mine eyes their vigils keep; For very love, beholding Thy happy name, they weep: The mention of thy glory Is unction to the breast, And medicine in sickness, And love, and life, and rest.

9 O one, O only mansion! O paradise of joy!

Where tears are ever banished. And smiles have no alloy.
Upon the Rock of Ages
They raise thy holy tower:

Thine is the victor's laurel, And thine the golden dower. 10 Thine ageless walls are bonded

With amethyst unpriced: Thy saints build up its fabric And the corner-stone is Christ. The cross is all thy splendour, The Crucified thy praise:

His laud and benediction Thy ransomed people raise:

11 Jesus, the Gem of Beauty, True God and man, they sing: The never-failing Garden,
The ever-golden Ring: [band,
The Door, the Pledge, the HusThe Guardian of His court:

The Day-star of Salvation, The Porter and the Port.



PART IV.

12 Jerusalem the golden, With milk and honey blest, Beneath thy contemplation Sink heart and voice oppressed: I know not, oh I know not

What joys await us there;

What radiancy of glory, What light beyond compare! 13 They stand, those halls of Zion, All jubilant with song,

And bright with many an angel, And all the martyr throng: And they who, with their Leader, Have conquered in the fight For ever and for ever Are clad in robes of white!

14 Jerusalem the glorious!
The home of God's elect!

O dear and future vision
That eager hearts expect:
Even now by faith I see thee:
Even here thy walls discern;
To thee my thoughts are kindled,

And strive and pant and yearn.

15 Jerusalem exulting
On that securest shore.—

I hope thee, wish thee, sing thee, And love thee evermore! Exult, O dust and ashes! The Lord shall be thy part: His only, His for ever, Thou shalt be, and thou art!

Bernard de Morlaix, 1140; J. M. Neale, D.D. (tr.), 1951.

1002 Heb. xii. 22. "The heavenly

Tune St. Chrysostom. C. M. Or Nayland.

1 JERUSALEM! my happy home! Name ever dear to me; When shall my labours have an end, In joy, and peace, and thee?

When shall these eyes thy heaven-built And pearly gates behold? [walls Thy bulwarks with salvation strong, And streets of shining gold?

3 Oh when, thou city of my God, Shall I thy courts ascend, Where congregations ne'er break up, And sabbaths have no end?

4 Apostles, martyrs, prophets there Around my Saviour stand; And soon my friends in Christ below Will join the glorious band.

5 Jesus, my Saviour, dwells therein In glorious majesty; And Him, through every stormy scene, I onward press to see.



6 Jerusalem, my happy home!
My soul still pants for thee;
Then shall my labours have an end,
When I thy joys shall see.
Francis Baker, 1576; D. Dickson, 1660; W. Burkitt, 1633.

KADESH.

[H. P. 159.]

(6) THE NEW HEAVENS AND NEW EARTH.

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2 Pet. iii. 13. "We, according to His promise, look for new heavens and a new earth."

Tune Kadesh. 77, 77. D.

1 THEN it burst, the glorious view,
In the Spirit as I lay;
Heavens and earth created new,
For the first were passed away:
Sea was none, with billowy roar
Severing shore from kindred shore:
But, refulgent as a bride
For her husband beautified,

2 Forth from heaven and God descending, Lo! the Holy City came, Glories past expression blending, New Jerusalem her name; Hark! a voice from heaven,—"Our God Plants with men His blest abode; They His hallowed people; He, He their present God shall be.

3 "God's own hand from all their eyes
Wipes for ever every tear;
Death is dead—no more to rise;
Pain and sorrow disappear."
Hark! He speaks—the First, the Last!
See! the whole creation past!
A new universe begun!
Write the changeless truth—'tis done.

Thomas Grinfeld, 1.33.



"They overcame blood of the Lamb." 1004 Rev. xii. 11. . . by the C. M. Tune WINCHESTER.

1 GIVE me the wings of faith to rise Within the veil, and see The saints above, how great their joys, How bright their glories be.

2 Once they were mourning here below, And wet their couch with tears; They wrestled hard, as we do now, With sins and doubts and fears.

3 I ask them whence their victory came? They, with united breath

Ascribe their conquest to the Lamb, Their triumph to His death.

4 They marked the footsteps that He trod, His zeal inspired their breast And, following their incarnate God, Possess the promised rest.

5 Our glorious Leader claims our praise For His own pattern given, While the long cloud of witnesses Show the same path to heaven.

Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709.

[H. P. 223.] PHILEMON.

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Rev. v. 11. "I heard the voice of many angels."

888,7. Tune PHILEMON.

1 A NGEL voices sweetly singing, Echoes through the blue dome ringing. News of wondrous gladness bringing; Ah, 'tis heaven! 'tis heaven at last!

2 Sin for ever left behind us, Earthly visions cease to blind us, Fleshly fetters cease to bind us; Ah, 'tis heaven at last!

3 On the jasper threshold standing, Like a pilgrim safely landing, See the strange bright scene expanding! Ah, 'tis heaven at last!

4 What a city! what a glory! Far beyond the brightest story Of the ages old and hoary; Ah, 'tis heaven at last!

5 Softest voices, silver pealing, Freshest fragrance, spirit healing, Happy hymns around us stealing; Ah, 'tis heaven at last! 6 Not a broken blossom yonder, Not a link can snap asunder, Stayed the tempest, sheathed the thunder; Ah, 'tis heaven at last!

7 Not a tear-drop ever falleth, Not a pleasure ever palleth, Song to song for ever calleth; Ah, 'tis heaven at last!

8 Christ Himself the living Splendour, Christ the Sunlight mild and tender; Praises to the Lamb we render, Ah, 'tis heaven at last!

9 Now at length the veil is rended, Now the pilgrimage is ended,
And the saints their thrones ascended;
Ah, 'tis heaven at last!

10 Broken death's dread bands that bound us, Life and victory around us;
Christ, the King, Himself hath crowned us;
Ah, 'tis heaven at last!

Horatius Bonar, D.D., 1861.

[H. P. 63.] KENT.

"Let not your heart be troubled, in My Father's house are many mansions."

Tune Kent. C. M.

1 WHEN I can read my title clear To mansions in the skies, I bid farewell to every fear, And wipe my weeping eyes.

2 Should earth against my soul en-

And hellish darts be hurled, Then I can smile at Satan's rage, And face a frowning world.

3 Let cares like a wild deluge come, And storms of sorrow fall, May I but safely reach my home, My God, my heaven, my all!

4 Then shall I bathe my weary soul In seas of heavenly rest, And not a wave of trouble roll Across my peaceful breast. Isaac Watts, D.D., 1709,

CRASSELIUS; or, WINCHESTER NEW.

[H. P. 3.]



1007 Heb. xiii. 14. "Here have we no continuing city."

Tune CRASSELIUS. L. M.

1 " WE 'VE no abiding city here,"
This may distress the worldling's mind;
But should not cost the saint a tear,
Who hopes a better rest to find,

2 "We've no abiding city here," Then let us live as pilgrims do; Let not the world our rest appear, But let us haste from all below. 3 "We've no abiding city here," We seek a city out of sight, Zion its name, the Lord is there, It shines with everlasting light.

4 O sweet abode of peace and love,
Where pilgrims freed from toil are blest!
Had I the pinions of the dove,
I'd fly to thee and be at rest.

5 But hush, my soul, nor dare repine; The time my God appoints is best: While here, to do His will be mine; And His to fix my time of rest.

Thomas Kelly, 1804.

SWABIA. [H. P. 82.]

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1 Thess. iv. 17. "So shall we ever be with the Lord."

Tune SWABIA. S. M.

1 "FOR ever with the Lord,"
Amen, so let it be!
Life from the dead is in that word;
Tis immortality!

2 Here in the body pent, Absent from Him I roam; Yet nightly pitch my moving tent A day's march nearer home. 3 My Father's house on high, Home of my soul! how near, At times, to faith's foreseeing eye, Thy golden gates appear!

4 Ah! then my spirit faints
To reach the land I love,
The bright inheritance of saints,
Jerusalem above!

5 "For ever with the Lord!" Father, if 'tis Thy will, The promise of that faithful word Even here to me fulfil.

6 Be Thou at my right hand,
Then can I never fail;
Uphold Thou me, and I shall stand,
Fight, and I must prevail.

7 That resurrection word,
That shout of victory;
Once more, "For ever with the
Amen, so let it be! [Lord!"

James Montgomery, 1835.

1009 Heb. xi. 16. "They desire a better country."

Tune Swabia, repeating the last line, with Hallelujah from Lubeck. S. M.

FROM Egypt lately come,
Where death and darkness reign,
We seek our new, our better home,
Where we our rest shall gain.
Hallelujah!
We are on our way to God.

2 To Canaan's sacred bound
We haste with songs of joy:
Where peace and liberty are found,
And sweets that never cloy.
Hallelujah, etc.

3 Our toils and conflicts cease On Canaan's happy shore: We there shall dwell in endless peace, And never hunger more. Hallelujah, etc.

4 But hark! those distant sounds
That strike our listening ears:
They come from Canaan's happy bounds,
Where God our King appears.
Hallelujah, etc.

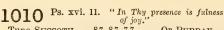
5 There, in celestial strains,
Enraptured myriads sing;
There, love in every bosom reigns,
For God Himself is King.
Hallelujah, etc.

6 We soon shall join the throng; Their pleasures we shall share, And sing the everlasting song, With all the ransomed there. Hallelujah, etc.

Thomas Kelly, 1812.



Hal - le - lu - jah, Hal - le - lu - jah! We are on our way to God.



Tune Succorn. 87, 87, 77. Or Purday.

- 1 WHAT is life? 'tis but a vapour. Soon it vanishes away; Life is like a dying taper:
 O my soul, why wish to stay?
 Why not spread thy wings and fly
 Straight to yonder world of joy?
- 2 See that glory; how resplendent! Brighter far than fancy paints: There, in majesty transcendent, Jesus reigns, the King of saints: Spread thy wings, my soul, and fly Straight to yonder world of joy.
- 3 Joyful crowds, His throne surrounding, Sing with rapture of His love; Through the heavens His praises sounding, Filling all the courts above: Spread thy wings, my soul, and fly Straight to yonder world of joy.
- 4 Go, and share His people's glory, 'Midst the ransomed around appears.
 Thine a joyful, wondrous story,
 One that angels love to hear:
 Spread thy wings, my soul, and fly
 Straight to yonder world of joy.

 Thomas Kellu, 1800. Midst the ransomed crowd appear;





1011Heb. ii. 10. "Bringing many sons unto glory."

1 T GO from grief and sighing, the valley and the clod,

To join the chosen people, in the palace-halls of God; There sounds no cry of battle amid the shadowing palms,

But mighty songs of victory and glorious golden psalms.

2 The army of the conquerors, a palm in every hand, In robes of state and splendour, in rest eternal stand: Those marriage robes of glory, the righteousness of

He bought them for His people with His most precious blood.

4 Salvation, strength, and wisdom, to Him whose

76, 76. D.

The Lamb of God adorns them in spotless white attire:

The Lamb of God presents them as kings in crowns of light,

As priests in God's own temple, to serve Him day

3 The Lamb of God has led them from hell's deep sea

Tune ZOAN I.

and night.

Or GOSHEN.

works and ways
Are wonderful and glorious, eternal in His praise:
The Lamb who died and liveth, alive for evermore,
The Saviour who redeemed us, for ever we adore. John Heerman, 1647; (tr.) Frances Bevan, 1854.

1012Ps. xvii. 15. "I shall be satisfied."

1 I HAVE a home above, From sin and sorrow free: A mansion which eternal love
Designed and formed for me:
My Father's gracious hand
Has built this sweet abode; From everlasting it was planned, My dwelling-place with God.

Tune ARMAGEDDON.

2 My Saviour's precious blood Has made my title sure; He passed through death's dark raging flood, To make my rest secure.
The Comforter is come,
The earnest has been given;
He leads me onward to the home Reserved for me in heaven.



3 Bright angels guard my way: His ministers of power, Encamping round me night and day,

Preserve in danger's hour.

Loved ones are gone before.

Whose pilgrim days are done;

I soon shall greet them on that shore,

Where partings are unknown.

4 But more than all, I long
His glories to behold,
Whose smile fills all that radiant throng With ecstasy untold:

That bright, yet tender smile,
My sweetest welcome there,
Shall cheer me through the "little while" I tarry for Him here.

5 Thy love, Thou precious Lord, My joy and strength shall be: Till Thou shalt speak the gladdening word That bids me rise to Thee;

And then, through endless days, Where all Thy glories shine, In happier, holier strains I'll praise The grace that made me Thine. Henry Bennett, 1851.

MAHANAIM. [H. P. 129.]

1013 Isa. xxxiii. 17. "Thine eyes shall see the King in His beauty: they shall behold the land that is very far off."

Or GOLDBACH. Tune Mahanaim. 76. 76. D.

1 THE sands of time are sinking, The dawn of heaven breaks, The summer morn I've sighed for, The fair sweet morn awakes. Dark, dark hath been the midnight, But dayspring is at hand, And glory, glory dwelleth In Immanuel's land.

2 There the red Rose of Sharon Unfolds its heartsome bloom, And fills the air of heaven With ravishing perfume. Oh to behold it blossom, While by its fragrance fanned, Where glory, glory dwelleth In Immanuel's land.

3 The King there in His beauty Without a veil is seen: Though seven deaths lay between.
The Lamb, with His fair army,
Doth on mount Zion stand,
And glory, glory dwelleth
In Immanuel's land. PART II.
4 Oh! Christ He is the fountain, The deep sweet well of love! The streams on earth I've tasted, More deep I'll drink above: There, to an ocean fulness, His mercy doth expand, And glory, glory dwelleth In Immanuel's land.

5 Oh! I am my Belovèd's, And my Beloved is mine! He brings a poor vile sinner Into His "house of wine"; I stand upon His merit, I know no safer stand, Not e'en where glory dwelleth In Immanuel's land.

6 I shall sleep sound in Jesus, Filled with His likeness rise To live and to adore Him,

To see Him with these eyes. My kingly King, at His white throne, My presence doth command, Where glory, glory dwelleth In Immanuel's land.

7 The bride eyes not her garment, But her dear bridegroom's face; I will not gaze at glory, But on my King of Grace; Not at the crown He gifteth,

But on His pierced hand ;-The Lamb is all the glory

Of Immanuel's land. Ann Ross Cousins, 1857.



1014

Rev. v. 12. "Worthy is the Lamb that was slain."

Tune Magdeburg. 87, 87, 47.

1 SAINTS, exalted high in glory, Round the throne a sacred throng, Make redemption's wondrous story Still the burden of their song:

Ever praising Him who was for sinners slain.

2 Rebels, now received to favour, Robed in merit not their own, There, as priests, present a savour Of sweet incense at the throne:

Ever praising Him who was for sinners slain.

3 Kings do service at the altar,
Never ceasing night nor day,
From redemption's wondrous psalter
Choosing their melodious lay:
er praising Him who was for sinners slain.

Ever praising Him who was for sin
4 Pilgrims there no longer tarry,
Waiting for the morning light:
They have ceased the cross to carry:
They have ceased to toil and fight:

They have ceased to toil and fight:

Ever praising

Him who was for sinners slain.

James (fabb, 1870.

GOSHEN.

[H. P. 125.]

1015 Isa. xxxiii. 17. "Thine eyes shall see the King in His beauty."

OH, for the robes of whiteness!
Oh, for the tearless eyes!
Oh, for the glorious brightness
Of the unclouded skies!

Of the unclouded skies!

Oh, for the no more weeping
Within that land of love,
The endless joy of keeping
The bridal feast above!

3 Oh, for the bliss of flying, My risen Lord to meet! Oh, for the rest of lying For ever at His feet!

4 Oh, for the hour of seeing
My Saviour face to face!
The hope of ever being
In that sweet meeting-place!

Tune Goshen. 76,76.

5 Jesus! Thou King of Glory, I soon shall dwell with Thee; I soon shall sing the story Of Thy great love to me.

6 Meanwhile, my thoughts shall enter E'en now before Thy throne, That all my love may centre In Thee, and Thee alone. Charitie Lees Smith, 1860.

[H. P. 139.]

LUBECK.



1016 Rev. vii. 9. "White robes, and palms in their hands."

Tune LUBECK. 77, 77. Or PISGAH.

1 PALMS of glory, raiment bright, Crowns that never fade away, Gird and deck the saints in light; Priests, and kings, and conquerors they.

2 Yet the conquerors bring their palms
To the Lamb amidst the throne,
And proclaim in joyful psalms
Victory through His cross alone.

Victory through His cross alone.

3 Kings for harps their crowns resign,
Crying, as they strike the chords,
"Take the kingdom, it is Thine,
King of kings, and Lord of lords!"

If their robes are white as snow,
"Twas the Saviour's righteousness
And His blood that made them so.
5 Who were these? on earth they dwelt;
Sinners once of Adam's race;
Guilt and fear and suffering felt;
But were saved by sovereign grace.

4 Round the altar priests confess,

6 They were mortal, too, like us:
. Ah! when we, like them, must die,
May our souls, translated thus,

Iay our souls, translated thus,
Triumph, reign, and shine on high!

James Montgomery, 1829.

1017 Isa. xxxv. 9. "The redeemed shall walk there."

WE speak of the realms of the blest, That country so bright and so fair; And oft are its glories confessed; But what must it be to be there? Tune Aristarchus. 88,88.
 We speak of its pathways of gold,
 Its walls decked with jewels most rare,

Its wonders and pleasures untold;
But what must it be to be there?



3 We speak of its freedom from sin, From sorrow, temptation, and care, From trials without and within; But what must it be to be there?

4 We speak of its anthems of praise, With which we can never compare The sweetest on earth we can raise; But what must it be to be there? 5 We speak of its service of love, The robes which the glorified wear, The church of the first-born above; But what must it be to be there?

6 Do Thou, Lord, 'midst pleasure or woe, For heaven our spirits prepare; And shortly we also shall know And feel what it is to be there.

1018 Rev. xxi. 23. "The Lamb is the light thereof."
Tune Sheba. 66.66. D.

1 THERE is a blessed home
Beyond this land of woe,
Where trials never come,
Nor tears of sorrow flow;
Where faith is lost in sight,
And patienthope is crowned,
And everlasting light
Its glory throws around.

2 There is a land of peace, Good angels know it well; Glad songs that never cease Within its portals swell; Around its glorious throne Ten thousand saints adore Christ, with the Father One, And Spirit, evermore.

3 Oh, joy all joys beyond,
To see the Lamb who died
And count each sacred wound
In hands, and feet, and side;
To give to Him the praise
Of every triumph won,
See Hymns 437—440, 1094.

SHEBA.



And sing through endless days
The great things He hath done!
4 Look up, ye saints of God,

4 Look up, ye saints of God, Nor fear to tread below The path your Saviour trod Of daily toil and woe; Wait but a little while In uncomplaining love, His own most gracious smile Shall welcome you above. Rev. Sir H. W. Baker, 1861.

Elizabeth Mills, 1829.

[H. P. 117.]

THEME XI. - Eternity.

(1) THE MEDIATORIAL KINGDOM DE-LIVERED UP TO THE FATHER.

1019 Rev. xix. 6. "Alleluia . . the Lord God reigne h."
Tune PISGAH. 77,77.

1 HARK! the song of Jubilee,

Or the fulness of the sea.
When it breaks upon the shore.

2 Hallelujah! for the Lord God omnipotent shall reign; Hallelujah! let the word Echo round the earth and main.

3 Hallelujah! Hark! the sound, From the centre to the skies, Wakes above, beneath, around, All creation's harmonies.

4 See Jehovah's banner furled, Sheathed His sword: He speaks—'tis done, And the kingdoms of this world Are the kingdoms of His Son.

5 He shall reign from pole to pole, With illimitable sway; He shall reign when like a scroll Yonder heavens have passed away;

6 Then the end; beneath His rod
Man's last enemy shall fall;
Hallelujah! Christ in God,
God in Christ, is all in all.

James Montgomery, 1819. (a.)





(2) THE SOLEMNITIES OF ETERNITY.

1020 Matt. xxv. 46. "Everlasting punishment , . . life eternal."

Tune SAXONY. L. M.

- 1 ETERNITY! eternity!
 That boundless, soundless, tideless sea,
 Of mysteries the mystery;
 What is eternity to me?
- 2 Infinite bliss or misery, Woe past, woe present, woe to be, Or fulness of felicity; These are eternity to me.

- 3 Two voices from eternity! A voice from heaven comes down to me, A voice from hell breaks dolefully, "Life, Death, O man! are offered thee."
- 4 The abyss is moved; even Wrath cries "Flee!" The height expands, and Love cries "See, What God hath here prepared for thee: Choose thou thine own eternity!"

James Montgomery, 1853.

1021 Isa. lvii. 15. "The high and lofty One that inhabiteth eternity."

Tune ALTORF. 88, 88, 888.

- 1 ETERNITY, eternity!
 How vast, how near eternity!
 The haven where the soul hath rest,
 In God Himself for ever blest,
 Unbroken rest, unfading day;
 O wondrous world without decay!
 Now ponder well eternity.
- 2 Eternity, eternity!
 O drear and dark eternity
 To all who God's great mercy scorn!
 Ah, better had they ne'er been born,
 Who live to spurn the saving Name
 By which our great redemption
 came,
 Nor ponder well eternity.
- 3 Eternity, eternity!
 O bright, O blest eternity,
 Which Jesus has obtained for those
 Who seek in Him their sure repose!
 A little while they suffer here,
 But rest, eternal rest, is near.
 Oh, ponder well eternity.





- 4 Eternity, eternity!
 Strange glories of eternity!
 Lord, let us now the world despise,
 And upward raise our thankful
 To joy that ever shall abide, [eyes
 From sin and sorrow purified,
 And ponder well eternity.
- 5 Eternity, eternity!
 Prepare us for eternity. [mind, Grant us, great Lord, the humble To all the Father's will resigned: Give faith and hope to look above, And fill us with Thy perfect love In time and through eternity.

Daniel Wülffer, 1660; F. E. Cox (tr)., 1841.

(3) THE PRAISES OF ETERNITY.

1022 Ps. cxlv. 2. "I will praise Thy name for ever and ever."

Tune, Hymn Chant St. Botolph. Or St. Dunstan. 10 10, 7.

- 1 SING Alleluia forth in | duteous praise, O citizens of heaven, and | sweetly raise An endless Alleluia!
- 2 Ye next, who stand before the | Eternal Light, In hymning choirs re-echo | to the height An endless Alleluia!

ST. BOTOLPH. For Verses 1, 2, 3.

[H. P. 352.]



3 The Holy City shall take | up your strain, And with glad songs resounding | wake again An endless Alleluia!



- 4 Ye who have gained your palms at | length in bliss, Victorious ones, your | chant shall still be this, An endless Alleluia!
- 5 There, in one grand acclaim, for | ever ring The strains which tell the | honour of your King, An endless Alleluia!

6 This is the rest for weary | ones brought back, This is the food and drink which | none shall lack, An endless Alleluia!



For Verses 7, 8.

- 7 While Thee, by whom were all things | made, we praise
 For ever, and tell out in | sweetest lays
 An endless Alleluia!
- 8 To Thee, Almighty Christ, our | voices sing Glory for evermore; to | Thee we bring An endless Alleluia!

 John Ellerton, 1867.

ST. DUNSTAN.

[H. P. 353.]



CHURCH TRIUMPHANT.

H. P. 258.]

R. Sandeman, 1775.



1023 Rev. v. 13. "Blessing, and honour, and glory, and power, be unto Him that sitteth upon the throne, and unto

Tune Church Triumphant. L. M.

- 1 THE countless multitude on high,
 Who tune their songs to Jesus' name,
 All merit of their own deny,
 And Jesus' worth alone proclaim.
- 2 Firm on the ground of sovereign grace
 They stand before Jehovah's throne;
 The new song in that blessed place
 Is, "Thou art worthy, Thou alone!"
- 3 With spotless robes of purest white, And branches of triumphal palm, They shout, with transports of delight, Heaven's ccaseless, universal psalm:
- 4 "Salvation's glory all be paid To Him who sits upon the throne, And to the Lamb whose blood was shed; Thou, Thou art worthy, Thou alone;
- 5 For Thou wast slain, and in Thy blood These robes were washed so spotless pure! Thou mad'st us kings and priests to God: For ever let Thy praise endure!"
- 6 While thus the ransomed myriads shout, "Amen!" the holy angels cry—Amen! Amen! resounds throughout
 The boundless regions of the sky.



1024 1 Tim. i. 17. "Glory for ever and ever. Amen."

Tune ZAANAIM. 87, 87, 47, GLORY be to God the Father! Glory be to God the Son! Glory be to God the Spirit! Great Jehovah, Three in One! Glory, glory, While eternal ages run!

See Hymn 600.

2 Glory be to Him who loved us. Washed us from each spot and stain!

Glory be to Him who bought us, Made us kings with Him Glory, glory, [reign! To the Lamb that once was slain!

3 Glory to the King of angels! Glory to the church's King! Glory to the King of nations! Heaven and earth, your praises Glory, glory, [bring-Glory, glory, [br: To the King of glory bring!

4 Glory, blessing, praise eternal! Thus the choir of angels sings; Honour, riches, power, dominion! Thus its praise creation brings;

Glory, glory, Glory to the King of kings! Horatius Bonar, D.D., 1868.

CONCLUSION.

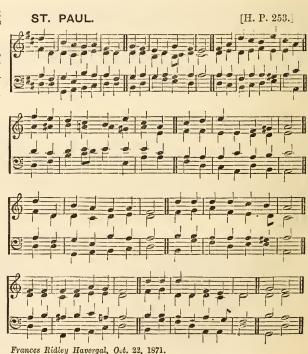
GRACE CONSUMMATED IN GLORY.

1 Pet. v. 10, 11. "The God of all Grace, who hath called us unto His eternal Glorg, by Christ Jesus." 87, 887, 77, 77. 1 SOVEREIGN Lord and gracious Master, Thou didst freely choose Thine own, Thou hast called with mighty calling, Thou wilt save, and keep from falling;— Thine the glory, Thine alone!

Yet Thy hand shall crown in heaven
All the grace Thy love hath given; Just, though undeserved, reward From our glorious, gracious Lord. 2 From the martyr and apostle To the sainted baby boy, To the samed baby boy, Every consecrated chalice In the King of Glory's palace Overflows with holy joy. Sovereign choice of gift and dower, Differing honour, differing power,— Yet are all alike in this,

Perfect love and perfect bliss. 3 In those heavenly constellations Lo! what differing glories meet; Stars of radiance soft and tender, Stars of full and dazzling splendour, All in God's own light complete; Brightest they whose holy feet, Faithful to His service sweet, Nearest to their Master trod, Winning wandering souls to God.

4 Oh the rapture of that vision! (Every earthly passion o'er,)
Our Redeemer's coronation, And the blissful exaltation Of the dear ones gone before. Grace that shone for Christ below, Changed to glory we shall know; And before His unveiled face Sing the glory of His grace.



APPENDIX.

FOR

MISSION SERVICES AND OTHER SPECIAL OCCASIONS.

PATROBAS.

[H. P. 354.]



Gospel Echoes,

1026

2 Cor. x. 5. "Casting down imaginations."

1 CAST thyself on Jesus now, Self relinquish wholly; Low before His footstool bow, Trust in Jesus solely: Look away from all to Him, Nothing here can aid thee: Jesus is the Good Supreme— Go! He'll not upbraid thee, Tune Patrobas. 77, 77. D. Or Seir.

2 Cast thyself on Jesus now,
Self relinquish wholly;
Peace and joy thou then shalt know,
Saved in Jesus fully:
He is waiting now to bless,
Waiting now to save thee;
To His loving bosom press,
Gladly He'll receive thee.

Albert Midlane, 1865.

1027 Luke xiv. 17. "Come, for all things are now ready."

Tune BEULAH. 64, 64, 6664.

- 1 COME to the royal feast,
 Come, sinners, come;
 Come, and salvation taste,
 Come, sinners, come.
 There is a full supply,
 Haste, ere in want you die,
 Now to the Saviour fly;
 Come, sinners, come.
- 2 Jesus will bless you all,
 Come, sinners, come;
 Heed ye His gracious call,
 Come, sinners, come.
 None are too bad for Him,
 Worthless though you may seem,
 He doth the lost redeem;
 Come, sinners, come.
 - 3 Welcome you all shall be,
 Come, sinners, come;
 Now to the Saviour flee;
 Come, sinners, come.
 Make Him your happy choice,
 List to His gracious voice,
 Then shall your hearts rejoice
 Come, sinners, come.



4 Glory shall then be yours,
Come, sinners, come;
Peace that for aye endures;
Come, sinners, come.
Jesus will ne'er deceive
Those who in Him believe;
Come then, and life receive,
Come, sinners, come.

Albert Midlane, 1865.

1028 Gal. iv. 4. "When the fulness of the time was come."

Tune Sihor. 77, 77, 77.

- 1 EIGHTEEN hundred years ago
 Jesus died upon the tree,
 And a full atonement made,
 Sinner, there, for thee and me:
 There He died, that He might prove
 God the very God of love.
- 2 Eighteen hundred years ago, All was finished, all was done; And the Father proved it so, When He raised up His Son; When in glory He sat down High upon His heavenly throne.
- 3 Eighteen hundred years ago,
 Works were proved of no avail;
 In salvation's glorious plan
 Works of every sort must fail;
 And the grace of God so free
 All the sinner's hope must be.
- 4 Sinner, come at once, and prove Rich the mercy God bestows; Come and taste of Jesus' love, And the joy that from it flows; Thine shall then a glory be, Lasting as eternity.

Albert Midlane, 1865.



SALZBURG.

[H. P. 203.]





1029

Luke xviii. 13. "God be merciful to me a sinner."

Tune SALZBURG. 87, 87. D.

- 1 GOD be gracious to a sinner,
 God be merciful to me,
 Long a daring, hardened rebel—
 Can c'en I forgiven be?
 Can my dreadful guilt be pardoned?
 Can I yet Thy mercies prove?
 Can I view a Father's smiles?
 Can I taste a Saviour's love?
- 2 Yes! the voice from heaven declareth, "Come, ye wretched, needy, vile, Come and take a free salvation, Precious fruit of Jesus' toil;" Mercy calleth not the righteous, Only sinners mercy need, They alone can claim the blessing Of salvation, sweet indeed!

Albert Midlane, 1865.

1030 Eph. i. 11. "The counsel of His own will."

Tune St. John. 6666, 88. Or Moriah.

1 HE saves because He will:
Man's will was to be lost;
But Jesus interposed,
And paid the fearful cost;
His precious blood He freely gave,
That He the guilty ones might
save.

2 He saves because He will:
For this He came to die;
No mortal claimed His aid,
Love brought Him from on
high,

Pure, sovereign, unrequested love, Brought Jesus from the realms above.

3 He saves because He will: Delighting still to bless,



He loves to clothe the soul In His own righteousness; A righteousness which God can own, Wrought out by His beloved Son Albert Midlane, 1865.

WINCHESTER.

[H. P. 46.]



1031 Rev. i. 5. "Jesus Christ, the faithful Witness."

1 IF Jesus came to seek and save The wretched and the lost, I know He came to rescue me, By sin and misery tossed.

2 If Jesus died upon the cross, That sinners might be free, I am a sinner, and I know That Jesus died for me. Tune Winchester. C. M. Or Evan I.

3 If Jesus bids the weary "Come, And I will give you rest," I, a poor weary one, will go, And in His love be blessed.

4 I know that what He says is true, He never can deceive; He says, "Believing, life is thine," And I His word believe.

Albert Midlane, 1865.



1032

Heb. xii. 2. "Looking unto Jesus."
Tune Frankfort. 87.87.

1 JESUS lived,—He lived for sinners, Outcast, in the world He made; Lived, that in His blessèd person God's full grace might be displayed.

2 Jesus died,—He died for sinners, On the cross He cried, "Forgive"; Died, that lost and ruined rebels Through His precious blood might live. 3 Jesus rose,—He rose for sinners, Proving that the work was done; Sweet assurance that the Father Was well pleased with His Son.

4 Jesus lives,—He lives for sinners, High upon the Father's throne; Liveth, evermore to succour Those who make His love their own.

5 Jesus loves,—He loveth sinners, Loveth more than tongue can say; Prove Him now, accept His mercy, Turn not from such love away.

Albert Midlane, 1965.



1933 Hos. xiv. 4. "I will love them freely."
Tune IDUMEA. 87, 87, 87.

1 LOVE us freely, blessèd Jesus,
For we have not aught to pay;
Saviour Thou, but we poor sinners,
Is alone what we can say;
Love us freely, blessèd Jesus,
For we have not aught to pay.

2 Love us ever, blessèd Jesus, We are changing as the wind; If Thy love on us depended, We should ne'er salvation find; Love us ever, blessèd Jesus, We are changing as the wind.

3 Love and help us, blessèd Jesus; Help us to be wholly Thine, Every idol and enchantment For Thy glory to resign; Love and help us, blessèd Jesus, Help us to be wholly Thine.

4 Love and keep us, blessed Jesus, Keep us from denying Thee; Keep our wayward feet from straying Into paths of vanity;

Into paths of vanity;
Love and keep us, blessed Jesus,
Keep us from denying Thee.

Albert Midlane, 1865.

[H. P. 53.]

1034 ² Cor. v. 18. "All things are of God."
Tune St. Chrysostom. C. M.
Or London New.

1 NOUGHT but the voice of God can speak Deliverance to the slave; Nought but His blessèd voice can break The fetters of the grave.

2 Nought but the power of God can set The captive sinner free, And give him to possess the joy Of perfect liberty.

3 Nought but the love of God can melt The hard, hard heart of stone; The law but hardens, love subdues, And precious love alone.

4 Nought but the grace of God can give A pardon full and free, And make the rebel sinner meet His face in peace to see.

5 Nought but the blood of Christ can cleanse The sinner from his guilt,

Nought but that precious blood, upon The cross of Calvary spilt.

Albert Midlane, 1865.



ST. CHRYSOSTOM.

1035 2 Cor. xiii. 5. "Examine yourselves."
Tune Stuttgard. 87,87. Or Frankfort.

OH, art thou an heir of glory?
Art thou sheltered by the blood?
Hast thou heavenly bliss before thee?
Hast thou present peace with God?

2 Or does Satan still deceive thee With his subtilties and lies, Hoping that he might receive thee Where the torment never dies?

3 Oh awake! nor longer slumber; Do not trifle with thy soul; Its exceeding worth remember— Worth unknown, unspeakable. 4 Oh, be wise, thou unforgiven, Flee to Christ, and flee to-day: Jesus beckons thee to heaven, Jesus bids thee not delay.

5 Oh receive Him; oh believe Him, Faith in Him will make thee whole: Then thou shalt, for ever near Him, Live where endless pleasures roll.

Albert Midlane, 1835.

PERSIS.

[H. P. 187.]



1036 Luke i. 79. "Guide our feet into the way of peace." Tune PERSIS. 87, 87, 3.

- 1 PEACE with God! how great a treasure; Peace with God! how true a joy; Peace with God! how high a pleasure; Peace with God! heaven's full supply. Peace with God!
- 2 Peace with God! 'tis sins forgiven; Peace with God! 'tis guilt removed; Peace with God! 'tis gleams of heaven; Peace with God! 'tis mercy proved.

 Peace with God!
- 3 Peace with God! it comes through Jesus, He for man the boon has won; Now 'tis God's delight to give us
 Peace with Him, through His dear Son.
 Peace with God!
- 4 Sinner, be no longer straying, Look to Him who bore sin's load; So. His gracious call obeying, Thou shalt have sweet peace with God. Peace with God!

Albert Midlanc, 1365.

Rom. v. 20. "Where sin abounded, grace did much more abound." Tune IDUMEA. 87, 87, 17.

1 SCRIPTURE says, "Where sin abounded,
There did grace much more abound;"
Thus has Satan been confounded, And his own discomfit found. Christ has triumphed!

Spread the glorious news around.

2 Sin is strong; but grace is stronger, Christ than Satan more supreme; Yield, oh, yield to sin no longer, Turn to Jesus, yield to Him; He has triumphed! Sinners, henceforth Him esteem. Albert Midlane, 1835.

[H. P. 127.] ZOAN I. (Field of.)

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"The trumpet of the jubilee."

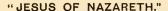
1 THE silver trumpet's sounding The year of jubilee; And grace is all abounding, To set the bondmen free.

Return, return, ye captives. Return unto your home, The silver trumpet's sounding, "The jubilee is come."

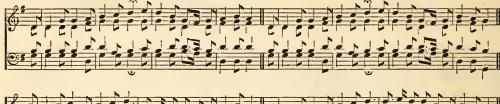
- 2 Forsake your wretched service, Your master's claims are o'er: Avail yourselves of freedom, Be Satan's slaves no more, Return, return, etc.
- 3 A better Master's calling In accents true and kind: He asks a loving service, And claims a willing mind. Return, return, etc.

Tune ZOAN I. 76.76. D.

- 4 He tells you of salvation, And points to joys above: And, longing, waits to show you His purposes of love. Return, return, etc.
- 5 In living faith accept Him, And give up all beside: While grace is loudly calling, Look to the Crucified. Return, return, etc.
 Albert Midlane, 1865.



[H. P. 322.]





1039 Luke xviii. 37. "Jesus of Nazareth passeth by."

Tune, "JESUS OF NAZARETH." 88, 88, 89.

- WHAT means this eager anxious throng, Which moves with busy haste along, These wondrous gatherings day by day? What means this strange commotion, say? In accents hushed the throng reply, "Jesus of Nazareth passeth by!"
- 2 E'en children feel the potent spell, And haste their new-found joy to tell; In crowds they to the place repair, Where Christians daily bow in prayer; Hosannas mingle with the cry, "Jesus of Nazareth passeth by!"
- 3 Who is this Jesus? Why should He The city move so mightily? A passing stranger, has He skill To move the multitude at will? Again the stirring tones reply, "Jesus of Nazareth passeth by!"

- 4 Jesus! 'Tis He who once below
 Man's pathway trod, 'mid pain and woe;
 And burdened ones, where'er He came.
 Brought out their sick, and deaf, and lame,
 The blind rejoiced to hear the cry,
 "Jesus of Nazareth passeth by!"
- 5 Again He comes; from place to place His holy footprints we can trace; He pauses at our threshold—nay, He enters, condescends to stay! Shall we not gladly raise the cry, "Jesus of Nazareth passeth by"?
- 6 Ho, all ye heavy-laden, come! Here's pardon, comfort, rest, a home: Lost wanderers from a Father's face, Return, accept His proffered grace; Ye tempted, there's a refuge nigh, "Jesus of Nazareth passeth by!"
- 7 But if you still this call refuse, And dare such wondrous love abuse, Soon will He sadly from you turn, Your bitter prayer in justice spurn: "Too late, too late!" will be the cry, "Jesus of Nazareth has passed by!"

is of Nazareth has passed by!"
Miss Campbell, 1869.

CULBACH.

[H. P. 181.]

1040

Phil. iii. 8. "The excellency of the knowledge of Christ."

Tune Culbach.

77, 77.

- 1 WHO can tell the worth of Jesus? Gold compared with Him is mean; Rising far beyond, in value, All that is or e'er has been.
- 2 Who can tell the *grace* of Jesus? Grace displayed in matchless ways, Soaring o'er all opposition, Grace demanding endless praise.
- 3 Who can tell the *power* of Jesus?

 That by which the worlds were made;
 Power which has since then in action
 Every moment been displayed.
- 4 Who can tell the love of Jesus? Perfect, pure, ineffable; Love which tunes the rapturous anthems Which eternity shall swell.
- 5 Ah! the worth and grace of Jesus, And His matchless power and love, By no saint has e'er been sounded, Here or in the realms above.
- 6 Never told, yet ever telling, Are the attributes Divine Of the One who, in His mercy, Says, "Poor sinner, I am thine."

Albert Midlane, 1865.



Matt. xi. 28. "Come unto Me." Tune LUCIUS. 86, 889, 8869.

WILL ye not come to Him for life?
Why will ye die, oh why?
He gave His life for you, for you!
The gift is free, the word is true!
Will ye not come? oh, why will ye die?
Will ye not come? Will ye not come?
Will ye not come to Him, to Him?
Oh, come, come, come to Him!
Come unto Jesus, oh, come for life.

2 Will ye not come to Him for peace,
Peace through His cross alone?
He shed His precious blood for you;
The gift is free, the word is true!
He is our Peace, oh is He your own?
Will ye not come, etc. . . . for peace?

3 Will ye not come to Him for rest?
All that are weary, come:
The rest He gives is deep and true,
'Tis offered now, 'tis offered you;
Rest in His love, and rest in His home.
Will ye not come, etc. . . . for rest?

PART II.

4 Will ye not come to Him for joy?
Will ye not come for this?
He laid His joys aside for you,
To give you joy, so sweet, so true?
Sorrowing heart, oh drink of the bliss!
Will ye not come, etc. . . . for joy?

5 Will ye not come to Him for love,
Love that can fill the heart?
Exceeding great, exceeding free!
He loveth you, He loveth me!
Will you not come? why stand ye apart?
Will ye not come, etc. . . . for love?

6 Will ye not come to Him for ALL?
Will ye not "taste and see"?
He waits to give it all to you,
The gifts are free, the words are true'
Jesus hath said it, "Come unto Me."
Will ye not come, etc. . . . to Him.,

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1873.

"YET THERE IS ROOM."

[H. P. 355.]

Luke xiv. 22. "Yet there is room."
Tune, "YET THERE IS ROOM."
Or CONWAY (repeating last line of verses).

YET there is room! The Lamb's bright hall of song, With its fair glory, beckons thee along: Room, room, still room! oh enter, enter now!

2 Day is declining, and the sun is low; The shadows lengthen, light makes haste to go: Room, room, still room! oh enter, enter now!

3 The bridal hall is filling for the feast:
Pass in, pass in, and be the Bridegroom's guest:
Room, room, still room! oh enter, enter now!

4 It fills, it fills, that hall of jubilee! Make haste, make haste; 'tis not too full for thee; Room, room, still room! oh enter, enter now! See Hymns 458-485.

5 Yet there is room! Still open stands the gate, The gate of love; it is not yet too late: Room, room, still room! oh enter, enter now!

6 Pass in, pass in! That banquet is for thee, That cup of everlasting love is free: Room, room, still room! oh enter, enter now!

7 All heaven is there, all joy! Go in, go in; The angels beckon thee the prize to win: Room, room, still room! oh enter, enter now!

8 Louder and sweeter sounds the loving call; Come, lingerer, come; enter that festal hall: Room, room, still room! oh enter, enter now!

9 Ere night that gate may close, and seal thy doom; Then the last, low, long cry:—"No room, no room!" No room, no room!—oh, woeful cry, "No room!"

Horatius Bonar, D.D., 1873.



1043 Acts xxvi. 18. "Sanctified by faith that is in Me." Tune Linus. 87,87. D. Or Esdraelon.

1 CHURCH of God, beloved and chosen, Church of Christ, for whom He died, Claim thy gifts and praise thy Giver!—"Ye are washed and sanctified."
Sanctified by God the Eather, and by Jesus Christ

Sanctified by God the Father, and by Jesus Christ His Son,

And by God the Holy Spirit, Holy, Holy, Three in One.

2 By His will He sanctifieth, by the Spirit's power within;

By the loving hand that chasteneth, fruits of righteousness to win;

By His truth and by His promise; by the Word, His gift unpriced;

By His own blood, and by union with the risen life of Christ.

3 Holiness by faith in Jesus, not by effort of thine own,—
Sin's dominion crushed and broken by the power

of grace alone,— God's own holiness within thee, His own beauty on thy brow—

thy brow.—
This shall be thy pilgrim brightness, this thy blessed portion now.

4 He will sanctify thee wholly; body, spirit, soul shall be Blameless till thy Saviour's coming in His glorious

majesty! He hath perfected for ever those whom He hath sanctified;

Spotless, glorious, and holy is the Church, His chosen bride.

Frances Ridley Haveral, 1873.

1044 1 Cor. iii. 11. "Other foundation can no man lay."

Tune, PEDAL TUNE. 88,88,88. Or MAMRE.

1 CHRIST is the one Foundation laid.

1 CHRIST is the one Foundation laid, In the deep counsels of the Lord, In promises to sinners made, In the inspired, prophetic word, In welcome news of peace Divine, In all His people's hearts and mine!

2 Him Prophet, Priest, and King we own, Essential God and real man; The Church is built on Christ alone, Its doctrines, discipline, and plan; Its duties and its blessings rise On Him, the Lord of earth and skies.

3 Rock of eternity, He stood Immovable in steadfast grace, Beneath the utmost wrath of God, Beneath the sin of Adam's race; And still my faith's support remains, And still He all my load sustains.

4 Sole Basis of our faith and hope, We on His life and death rely, His death from hell shall lift us up, His life shall bear us to the sky, Entitled, fitted for the place, By Jesus' blood and righteousness. Charles Wesley, 1786, PEDAL TUNE.

[H. P. 344.]



Ps. li. 7. "Whiter than snow."

Tune Hobah, repeating last half for chorus. 11 11, 11 11, 11 11.

- DEAR Jesus, I long to be perfectly whole, I want Thee for ever to dwell in my soul; Break down every idol, cast out every foe, Now wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow. Yes, whiter than snow, yes, whiter than snow. Now wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow.
- 2 Dear Jesus, let nothing unholy remain, Apply Thine own blood, and extract every stain: To have this blest washing I all things forcgo, Now wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow. Yes, whiter than snow, etc.
- 3 Dear Jesus, come down from Thy throne in the skies, And help me to make a complete sacrifice;

I give up myself—and whatever I know, Now wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow. Yes, whiter than snow, etc.

- 4 Dear Jesus, Thou seest I patiently wait;
 Come now, and within me a new heart create;
 To those who have sought Thee Thou never saidst
 no,
 - Now wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow. Yes, whiter than snow, etc.
- 5 The blessing by faith I receive from above, And praise Him who maketh me perfect in love; My prayer has prevailed, and this moment I know, The blood is applied, I am whiter than snow. Yes, whiter than snow, yes, whiter than snow;

Yes, whiter than snow, yes, whiter than snow; Dear Jesus, Thy blood makes me whiter than snow.

James Nicholson, 1872.



1046 Ps. xxxvii. 4. "Delight thyself also in the Lord."

DELIGHT thyself in Jesus, In whom true pleasures meet, To all thy heart's desirings He'll be the answer sweet. Think what the bridegroom's joy is Over his precious bride; Think of His holy anguish When He was crucified.

2 Commit thy way to Jesus, He knows thy utmost need, He feels the secret sorrows Which make thy lone heart bleed. Tune Mahanaim. 76, 76. D.

To smooth thy rugged journey He will with thee abide; Then cast thou all upon Him, On Him the Crucified!

3 Commit thy way to Jesus,
Lean on His loving arm;
And though the world despise thee,
What is each threat or charm?
If darkness shroud thy pathway,
Light must with Him abide;
Still trust the One who loves thee,
Jesus, the Crucified!

H. R. King. 1873.

PATMOS.

[H. P. 147.1



1 Pet. ii. 4. "To whom coming" Tune Parmos. 77, 77. D. Or "COMING TO THE CROSS."

I AM coming to the cross:
I am poor, and weak, and blind;
I am counting all but dross,
I shall full salvation find.
I am trusting, Lord, in Thee,
Holy Lamb of Calvary;
Humbly at Thy cross I bow:
Save me, Jesus, save me now.

2 Long my heart has sighed for Thee. Long has evil reigned within:
Jesus sweetly speaks to me,
I will cleanse you from all sin. I am trusting, Lord, in Thee, etc.

3 Here I give my all to Thee,
Friends and time and earthly store;
Soul and body Thine to be,—
Wholly Thine for evermore.
I am trusting, Lord, in Thee, etc.

4 In the promises I trust,
Now I feel the blood applied; I am prostrate in the dust, I with Christ am crucified. I am trusting, Lord, in Thee, etc. "COMING TO THE CROSS." TH. P. 356.1





5 Jesus comes! He fills my soul,
Perfected in love I am;
I am every whit made whole,
Glory, glory to the Lamb!
I am trusting, Lord, in Thee, etc. William McDonald, 1872.

URBANE. (PART II.)

[H. P. 292.]



1048

Isa. xii. 2. "I will trust, and not be afraid."

1 I AM trusting Thee, Lord Jesus, Trusting only Thee! Trusting Thee for full salvation, Great and free!

2 I am trusting Thee for pardon, At Thy feet I bow: For Thy grace and tender mercy Trusting now.

3 I am trusting Thee for cleansing. In the crimson flood; Trusting Thee to make me holy, By Thy blood.

Tune, URBANE, Part II. 75, 83.

4 I am trusting Thee to guide me; Thou alone shalt lead. Every day and hour supplying All my need.

5 I am trusting Thee for power; Thine can never fail: Words which Thou Thyself shalt give me Must prevail.

6 I am trusting Thee, Lord Jesus! Never let me fall! I am trusting Thee for ever, And for all!

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1874.



1049

John vi. 68. "Lord, to whom shall we go?"

Tune Goldbach. 76,76. D.

1 I COULD not do without Thee, O Saviour of the lost! Whose wondrous love redeemed me

me
At such tremendous cost.
Thy righteousness, Thy pardon.
Thy precious blood, must be
My only hope and comfort,
My glory and my plea!

2 I could not do without Thee, I cannot stand alone, I have no strength or goodness, No wisdom of my own. But Thou, beloved Saviour, Art all-in-all to me, And weakness will be power If leaning hard on Thee! 3 I could not do without Thee, For oh! the way is long, And I am often weary, And sigh replaces song. How could I do without Thee?

How could I do without Thee? I do not know the way! Thou knowest, and Thou leadest, And wilt not let me stray.

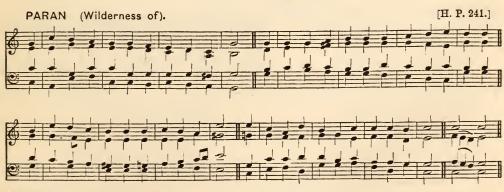
PART II.

4 I could not do without Thee,
O Jesus, Saviour dear!
E'en when my eyes are holden
I know that Thou art near.
How dreary and how lonely
This changeful life would be,
Without the sweet communion,
The secret rest with Thee.

5 I could not do without Thee!
No other friend could read
The spirit's strange deep longings,
Interpreting its need.
No human heart could enter
Each dim recess of mine,
And soothe and hush and calm it,
O blessed Lord, but Thine!

6 I could not do without Thee!
For life is fleeting fast,
And then, in solemn loneliness,
The river must be passed.
But Thou wilt never leave me,
And, though the waves roll high,
I know Thou wilt be with me,
And whisper "It is I."

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1873.



1030

Phil. iv. 19. "My God shall supply all your need."

Tune PARAN. 11 12, 11 11.

- I IN some way or other the Lord will provide:
 It may not be my way. It may not be thy way:
 And yet in His own way "the Lord will provide."
 Then trust in the Lord—He will surely provide.
- 2 At some time or other the Lord will provide:

 It may not be my time, It may not be thy time:
 And yet in His own time "the Lord will provide."

 Then trust in the Lord, etc.
- 3 Despond then no longer; the Lord will provide; And to be the token, No word He hath spoken Was ever yet broken; "the Lord will provide." Then trust in the Lord, etc.
- 4 March on then right boldly, the sea shall divide: The pathway made glorious, With shoutings victorious, We'll join in the chorus, "the Lord will provide."

Then trust in the Lord, etc.

Mrs. M. A. W. Cook, 1873.

1051 John vi. 37. "Him that cometh to Me I will in no wise cast out."

Tune Godesberg. 87, 8

JESUS, Lord, I come before Thee, With my sin and guilt and care; Though Thou art enthroned in glory, Cast not out my feeble prayer!

2 I am vile, but Thou art holy; Thou art strong, though I am weak; Trusting in Thy mercy solely, Let me find the grace I seek!

3 All my promises are broken, Often have I gone astray, Words of sin have freely spoken, Holy thoughts have cast away.

4 Life with its vain fleeting pleasures
I have loved, without a thought
Of the never failing treasures
Which Thy blood for me hath bought.

5 But the long delusion's ended, From my dreaming I awake, To behold myself BEFRIENDED For Thy tender mercy's sake.



6 In my heart I hear Thee saying,
"Come poor sinner unto Me!
All thy fear and guilt allaying,
Peace and joy I'll give to thee!"
Robert Gardner Smith, 1869.



1052 Matt. i. 21. "He shall save His people from their sins."

Tune Patmos, repeating first and last strains. 77, 77. With Chorus.

I JESUS saves me every day, Jesus saves me every night; Jesus saves me all the way, Through the darkness, through the light. Jesus saves, oh bliss sublime! Jesus saves me all the time.

2 Jesus saves when I repine, Jesus saves when I rejoice, Jesus saves when hopes decline, Faith can always hear His voice. Jesus saves, etc.

3 Jesus saves when sorrows come;
Jesus saves when death appears;
Jesus saves and leads me home,
Where shall end my doubts and fears.
Jesus saves, etc.



4 Jesus saves me, He is mine; Jesus saves me, I am His; Jesus saves while I recline On His precious promises. Jesus saves, etc.

5 Jesus saves, He saves from sin; Jesus saves, I feel Him nigh; Jesus saves, He dwells within, Gladly do I testify. Jesus saves, etc.

Leaflet, 1873.

1053 Rev. iii. 20. "I stand at the door, and knock."

1 KNOCKING, knocking, who is there? Waiting, waiting, oh, how fair! 'Tis a Pilgrim, strange and kingly, Never such was seen before. Ah! my soul, for such a wonder, Wilt thou not undo the door?

Tune, "KNOCKING, KNOCKING." 77, 87, 87.

2 Knocking, knocking, still He's there, Waiting, waiting, wondrous fair; But the door is hard to open, For the weeds and ivy-vine, With their dark and clinging tendrils, Ever round the hinges twine.

[H. P. 53.]

3 Knocking, knocking; what, still there? Waiting, waiting, grand and fair; Yes, the pierced hand still knocketh, And beneath the crowned hair Beam the patient eyes, so tender, Of thy Saviour, waiting there.

Mrs. Stowe and G. F. Root, 1870.





ST. CHRYSOSTOM.

1054 Heb. iv. 3. "We which have believed do enter into rest."

Tune St. Chrysostom. C. M.

- I JORD, I believe a rest remains,
 To all Thy people known,
 A rest where pure enjoyment reigns,
 And Thou art loved alone;
- 2 A rest where all our soul's desire Is fixed on things above; Where fear, and sin, and grief expire, Cast out by perfect love.
- 3 Oh that I now the rest might know, Believe, and enter in! Now, Saviour, now the power bestow, And let me cease from sin.
- 4 Remove this hardness from my heart,
 This unbelief remove;
 To me the rest of faith impart,
 The sabbath of Thy love.
- 5 Thy name to me, Thy nature grant; This, only this, be given; Nothing beside, my God, I want; Nothing in earth or heaven.

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Charles Wesley, 1739.





1055

Cant. ii. 4. "He brought me to the banqueting house."

Tune Evan I. C. M.

- 1 MY heart is resting, 0 my God,— I will give thanks and sing; My heart is at the secret source Of every precious thing.
- 2 Now the frail vessel Thou hast made No hand but Thine shall fill; For the waters of the earth have failed, And I am thirsty still.
- 3 I thirst for springs of heavenly life, And here all day they rise; I seek the treasure of Thy love, And close at hand it lies.

- 4 And a new song is in my mouth,
 To long-loved music set—
 Glory to Thee for all the grace
 I have not tasted yet.
- 5 My heart is resting, O my God, My heart is in Thy care; I hear the voice of joy and health Resounding everywhere.
- 6 "Thou art my portion," saith my soul, Ten thousand voices say,— The music of their glad Amen Will never die away.

Anna Lætitia Waring, 1850.



Precious, precious blood of Jesus, ctc.

Precious, precious blood of Jesus, etc.

6 Precious blood! by this we conquer
In the flercest fight,
Sin and Satan overcoming
By its might.
Precious, precious blood of Jesus, etc.

7 Precious blood, whose full atonement Makes us nigh to God! Precious blood! our song of glory, Praise and laud!

Precious, precious blood of Jesus, etc. Frances Ridley Havergal, 1874.

HOBAH.

[H. P. 248.]

1058 Ps. lix. 16. "I will sing aloud of Thy mercy." Tun

OH, bliss of the purified! bliss of the free!
I plunge in the crimson tide opened for me!
O'er sin and uncleanness exulting I stand,
And point to the print of the nails in His hand,
Oh, sing of His mighty love, mighty to save.

2 Oh, bliss of the purified! Jesus is mine, No longer in dread condemnation I pine; In conscious salvation I sing of His grace, Who lifteth upon me the smiles of His face. Oh, sing, etc. Tune Hobah, repeating last half for chorus. 11 11.

3 Oh, bliss of the purified! bliss of the pure! No wound hath the soul that His blood cannot cure; No sorrow-bowed head but may sweetly find rest; No tears, but may dry them on Jesus's breast. Oh, sing, etc.

4 O Jesus the crucified! Thee will I sing,
My blessed Redeemer, my God and my King;
My soul, filled with rapture, shall shout o'er the grave,
And triumph at death in the "Mighty to save!"
Oh, sing, etc. "Dr. F. Bottome, 1873.



1059 Cant. i. 3. "Thy name is as ointment poured forth."

Tune, "THE GREAT PHYSICIAN."

1 THE great Physician now is near,
The sympathising Jesus,
He speaks the drooping heart to cheer;
Oh, hear the voice of Jesus.
Chorus.—Sweetest note in seraph song,

orus.—Sweetest note in seraph song, Sweetest name on mortal tongue, Sweetest carol ever sung, Jesus, Jesus, Jesus!

2 Your many sins are all forgiven; Oh, hear the voice of Jesus; Go on your way in peace to heaven, And wear a crown with Jesus. Sweetest note, etc.

3 All glory to the dying Lamb!
I now believe in Jesus;
I love the blessèd Saviour's name,
I love the name of Jesus,
Sweetest note, etc.

4 His name dispels my guilt and feer.
No other name but Jesus;
Oh how my soul delights to hear
The precious name of Jesus,
Sweetest note, etc.



5 The children too, both great and small, Who love the name of Jesus, May now accept the glorious call To work and live for Jesus. Sweetest note, etc.

6 And when to the bright world above
We rise, to see our Jesus,
We'll sing, around the throne of love,
His name—the name of JESUS.
Sweetest note, etc.

Leaflet, 1973.



P. P. Bliss, 1873.

More and more, etc.

"HOLD THE FORT."

[H. P. 323.]



1062 Rev. ii. 25. "Hold fast till I come."

Tune, "HOLD THE FORT."

1 HO! my comrades, see the signal Waving in the sky! Reinforcements now appearing, Victory is nigh!

Chorus,-" Hold the fort, for I am coming." Jesus signals still; Wave the answer back to heaven, "By Thy grace we will."

2 See the mighty host advancing, Satan leading on;
Mighty men around us falling,
Courage almost gone!
"Hold the fort," etc.

> 3 See the glorious banner waving, Hear the trumpet blow; In our Leader's name we'll triumph Over every foe. "Hold the fort," etc.

See Hymns 494-498.





4 Fierce and long the battle rages; But our help is near; Onward comes our great Commander, Cheer, my comrades, cheer! "Hold the fort," etc.

P. P. Bliss, 1371.



Consecration Inmns.

1063

Ps. cxix. 94. "I am Thine, sare me."

1 I AM Thine own, O Christ, Henceforth entirely Thine; And life, from this glad hour, New life, is mine!

2 No earthly joy shall lure My quiet soul from Thee; This deep delight, so pure, Is heaven to me.

3 My little song of praise In sweet content I sing; To Thee the note I raise, My King! my King!

Tune, Hymn Chant THYATIRA.

6664.

4 I cannot tell the art By which such bliss is given; I know Thou hast my heart, And I-have heaven.

5 O peace! O holy rest!
O balmy breath of love!
A heart divinest, best,
Thy depth I prove.

6 I ask this gift of Thee—A life, all lily fair, And fragrant as the place Where seraphs are.

Mrs. Helen Bradley, 1873.

1064 Rom. xiv. 17. "Peace and joy in the Holy Ghost."

Tune, "I HAVE ENTERED THE VALLEY." 11 8, 11 8. Or CRESCENS.

1 | HAVE entered the valley of blessing so sweet,

And Jesus abides with me there; And His Spirit and blood make my cleans-

ing complete, And His perfect love easteth out fear.

Chorus.-Oh, come to this valley of blessing so sweet!

Where Jesus will fulness bestow: And believe, and receive, and confess Him,

That all His salvation may know.

2 There is peace in the valley of blessing so sweet.

And plenty the land doth impart: And there's rest for the weary, worn traveller's feet,

And joy for the sorrowing heart. Oh, come to the valley, etc.

"I HAVE ENTERED THE VALLEY." [H. P. 357.]







3 There is love in the valley of blessing so sweet, Such as none but the blood-washed may feel, When heaven comes down redeemed spirits to greet.

And Christ sets His covenant seal. Oh, come to the valley, etc.

4 There's a song in the valley of blessing so sweet And angels would fain join the strain, As with rapturous praises we bow at His feet, Crying, "Worthy the Lamb that was slain." Oh, come to the valley, etc.

Annie Wittenmeyer, 1872.



10651 Thess. v. 23. "The God of peace sanctify you wholly."

Tune GOLDBACH. 76, 76. D.

1 MY body, soul, and spirit, Jesus, I give to Thee; A consecrated offering, Thine evermore to be.

My all is on the altar, I'm waiting for the fire, Yes, waiting, waiting, I'm waiting for the fire.

2 O Jesus, mighty Saviour, I trust in Thy great name; I look for Thy salvation, Thy promise now I claim. My all, etc.

3 Oh, let the fire, descending,
My heart set now on flame:
I look for Thy salvation,
Thy promise now I claim. My all, etc.

4 I'm Thine, O blessed Jesus, Washed by Thy precious blood; Now seal me by Thy Spirit, A sacrifice to God. My all, etc.

Mary D. James, 1873.



1066

2 Cor. vii. 1. "Perfecting holiness."

Tune PARAN.

11, 11, 11, 11,

- 1 MORE holiness give me, More sweetness within, More patience in suffering, More sorrow for sin,
 More faith in my Saviour,
 More sense of His care,
 More joy in His service, More purpose in prayer.
- 2 More gratitude give me, More trust in the Lord, More pride in His glory, More hope in His word, More tears for His sorrows, More pain at His grief, More meekness in trial, More praise for relief.
- 3 More victory give me, More strength to o'ercome, More freedom from earth stains, More longings for home; More fit for the kingdom, More useful, I'd be, More blessed and holy, More, Saviour, like Thee. P. P. Bliss, 1873.



1067

Rev. xxi. 5. "Behold I make all things new."

Tune HOBAH. 11 11, 11 11.

- 1 NEW mercies, new blessings, new light on thy New courage, new hope, and new strength for each day; New notes of thanksgiving, new chords of delight; New praise in the morning, new songs in the night;
- 2 New wine in thy chalice, new altars to raise: New fruit for thy Master, new garments of praise:

New gifts from His treasures, new smiles from His face; New streams from the Fountain of infinite grace;

3 New stars for thy crown, and new tokens of love; New gleams of the glory that waits thee above; New light of His countenance, clear and unpriced! All this be the joy of thy new life in Christ!

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1874.



Safe in the arms, etc.



2 Sam. xix. 30. "Yea, let him take all."

Tune Patmos. 77, 77. [The two last lines of the hymn may be sung as Chorus after each verse to first and fourth strains of the tune.]

1 TAKE my life, and let it be Consecrated, Lord, to Thee. Take my moments and my days, Let them flow in ceaseless praise.

2 Take my hands, and let them move
With the impulse of Thy love.
Take my feet, and let them be
Swift and "beautiful" for Thee.

4 Take my silver and my gold,
Not a mite would I withhold.
Take my intellect, and use
Every power as Thou dost choose. See Hymn 695.

3 Take my voice, and let me sing Always, only, for my King. Take my lips, and let them be Filled with messages from Thee.

5 Take my will, and make it Thine! It shall be no longer mine.

Take my heart, it is Thine own;
It shall be Thy royal throne.

6 Take my love, my Lord, I pour At Thy feet its treasure store.
Take myself, and I will be
Ever, only, all, for Thee!
Frances Ridley Havergal, 1873.



Acts XV. 14. "Take out of them a people."

Tune Melcombe. L. M. Or Peniel.

- 1 TAKE my poor heart, and let it be For ever closed to all but Thee! Seal Thou my breast, and let me wear That pledge of love for ever there!
- 2 How blest are they who still abide Close sheltered by Thy bleeding side! Who life and strength from Thee derive, And by Thee move, and in Thee live.
- 3 O Lord! enlarge our scanty thought, To know the wonders Thou hast wrought; Unloose our stammering tongues, to tell Thy love immense, unsearchable.
 - J. Wesley, from Count Zinzendorf, 1738-1740.



1074 John i. 7. "Walk in the light."

Tune French. C. M.

- WALK in the light, and thou shalt know That fellowship of love His Spirit only can bestow Who reigns in light above.
- 2 Walk in the light, and thou shalt and The heart made truly His Who dwells in cloudless light enshrined, In whom no darkness is.
- 3 Walk in the light, and sin abhorred Shall neer defile again; The blood of Jesus Christ the Lord Shall cleanse from every stain.
- 4 Walk in the light, and e'en the tomb No fearful shade shall wear; Glory shall chase away its gloom, For Christ hath conquered there.
- 5 Walk in the light, and thine shall be A path, though thorny, bright; For God, by grace, shall dwell in thee, And God Himself is light.

Bernard Barton, 1826.



1075 Ps. lvii. 7. "My heart is fixed."
WELCOME, welcome, dear Redeemer,

Welcome to this heart of mine; Lord, I make a full surrender, Every power and thought be Thine; Thine entirely,

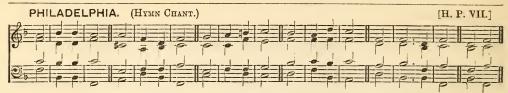
Through eternal ages Thine. See Hymns 32—40, 530—536, 735—745, 1093.

Tune ZAANAIM. 87, 87, 47.

2 Known to all to be Thy mansion,
Earth and hell shall disappear;
Or in vain attempt possession,
When they find the Lord is there.
Shout, ye angels,
Shout, O saints, the Lord is here.
William Mason, 1794.



Frances Ridley Havergal, 1874.



2 Cor. i. 20. "All the promises," Tune. Hymn Chant PHILADELPHIA.

1 GOD's reiterated "ALL!" Touching with its tuneful fall

Each unknown day, each hidden hour, Of the coming year.

2 Only all His word believe!

All peace and joy your heart shall fill,

All things asked ye shall receive;
This is thy Father's word and will,

For the coming year.

See Hymns 909-913.

"All I have is thine," saith He!
"All things are yours," He saith again! All the promises for thee Are sealed with Jesus Christ's Amen.

For the coming year.

4 He shall all "your need supply,"
And He will "make all grace abound;"
Always "all sufficiency"
In Him for all things shall be found,
Through the coming year.

5 All "His work He shall fulfil," All "the good pleasure of His will," Keeping thee in "all thy ways," And "with thee always," all the days.

Of the coming year. Frances Ridley Havergal, 1871



"Preserbed in Christ." 1080 Heb. xiii. 5. "I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee." Tune ZAANAIM, repeat last two strains. 87,87,47.

¹ I WILL never, never leave thee, I will never thee forsake; Your never thee forsake;
I will guard, and save, and keep thee,
For My name and mercy's sake.
Fear no evil!
Only all My counsel take;
For I'll never, never leave thee,
I will never thee forsake.

2 When the storm is raging round thee, Call on Me in humble prayer; I will fold My arms about thee, Guard thee with the tenderest care; In the trial I will make thy pathway clear: For I'll never, etc.

3 When the sky above is glowing, And around thee all is bright, Pleasure like a river flowing, All things tending to delight,
I'll be with thee,
I will guide thy steps aright:
For I'll never, etc.

PART II. 4 When thy soul is dark and clouded,
Filled with doubt, and grief, and care,
Through the mist by which 'tis shrouded
I will make a light appear;
And the banner

Of My love I will uprear: For I'll never, etc.

5 If thou leave My care and keeping, Thou may'st wander far from Me; Sorrow then, and wee, and weeping, Mercy must mete out to thee.
To the righteous,
My rich blessings all are free:
For I'll never, etc.

6 When thy feeble flame is dying, And thy soul about to soar And thy soul about to solar
To that land where pain and sighing
Shall be heard and known no more,
I will teach thee
To rejoice that life is o'er:
For I'll never, etc.
Weaver's Hymn Book, 1369.

1081 Jude 1. "Preserved in Jesus Christ."

1 PART sunbeams from their centre, Part saltness from the sea, No height, no depth, shall ever Part My redeemed from Me!

Tune Goshen.

76. 76.

2 I'll shake the earth and heavens, I'll build this world anew;
But as My word remaineth,
I still will shelter you. E. Clay's Collection, 1863.





To Refresh the Missioner.

1084 Luke viii. 39. "Show how great things God hath done unto thee."

Tune EIRENE. 11 10, 11 10.

1 NOT now, my child,—a little more rough tossing, A little longer on the billows' foam,— A few more journeyings in the desert darkness, And then the sunshine of thy Father's home!

2 Not now,—for I have wanderers in the distance, And thou must call them in with patient love; Not now,—for I have sheep upon the mountains, And thou must follow them where'er they rove. See Hymns 565—569, 765—773. 3 Not now,—for I have loved ones sad and weary; Wilt thou not cheer them with a kindly smile? Sick ones, who need thee in their lonely sorrow; Wilt thou not tend them yet a little while?

4 Not now,—for wounded hearts are sorely bleeding, And thou must teach those widowed hearts to sing. Not now,—for orphans' tears are thickly falling; They must be gathered 'neath some sheltering wing.

5 Not now,—for many a hungry one is pining; Thy willing hand must be outstretched and free: Thy Father hears the mighty cry of anguish, And gives His answering messages to thee.

6 Go with the name of Jesus to the dying, And speak that name in all its living power; Why should thy fainting heart grow chill and weary?

Canst thou not watch with Me one little hour?

7 One little hour!—and then the glorious crowning— The golden harp-strings and the victor's palm. One little hour! and then the Hallelujah! Eternity's long, deep, thanksgiving psalm! Mrs. Catherine Pennejather, 1863.

DALMATIA.

[H. P. 20.]



Sickness, or Yospital Sundays.

1085 Mark i. 32. "And at even, when the sun did set, they brought unto Him all that were diseased."

Tune DALMATIA.

L. M.

- 1 AT even, when the sun was set, The sick, O Lord, around Thee lay; Oh, in what divers pains they met! Oh, with what joy they went away!
- 2 Once more 'tis eventide, and we Oppressed with various ills draw near: What if Thy form we cannot see? We know and feel that Thou art here.
- 3 O Saviour Christ, our woes dispel;
 For some are sick, and some are sad,
 And some have never loved Thee well,
 And some have lost the love they had;

See Hymns 870, 962-967.

- 4 And some are pressed with worldly care; And some are tried with sinful doubt; And some such grievous passions tear That only Thou canst cast them out;
- 5 And some have found the world is vain, Yet from the world they break not free And some have friends who give them pain, Yet have not sought a Friend in Thee.
- 6 O Saviour Christ, Thou too art man; Thou hast been troubled, tempted, tried; Thy kind but searching glance can scan The very wounds that shame would hide;
- 7 Thy touch has still its ancient power; No word from Thee can fruitless fall: Hear, in this solemn evening hour, And in Thy mercy heal us all.

Henry Twells, 1866.

The Yord's Supper.

1086 Mark xiv. 26. "When they had sung an hymn."

1 COME, ye saints, and raise an anthem, Cleave the skies with shouts of praise; Sing to Him who found a ransom, The' Ancient of eternal days:

In your nature,
Born to suffer in your place.

Tune Magdeburg. 87, 87, 47. Or Zaanaim.

2 Lo. He comes! and on mount Calvary Pours His blood, resigns His breath, Finishes the great salvation, Kills the killing power of Death; Then arises, Lives, and reigns for evermore.



3 High on you celestial mountains
Stands His gem-built throne, all bright
Midst incessant acclamations,
Bursting from the sons of light:
Zion's praises
Are His chosen dwelling-place.

4 Bring your harps, and bring your odours,
Sweep the string and pour the lay;
View His works! behold His wonders,
Let Hosannas crown the day!
He is worthy
Of eternal, boundless praise.

PART II.

5 Hungry souls, that faint and languish, By His bounteous hand are fed; Yes, He gives them food immortal, Gives Himself, the living Bread; This revives them; Life, and health, and strength it gives. 6 See His guardian wing extended, To secure His own from harm; See the gates of hell confounded By His high, imperial arm; Devils tremble At His word, or at His nod.

7 Trust Him then, ye fearful pilgrims:
Who shall pluck you from His hand?
Pledged He stands for your salvation,
Soon you'll see the promised land;
Soon He'll crown you,
And exalt you to His throne!

8 There amazed you'll view His glories Brighter than ten thousand suns; There you'll drink the living pleasure, Which from endless fountains runs, And with angels Swell the everlasting song.

Job Hupton, 1805.

LINUS.
[H. P. 336.]

1087 Isa. lxii. 5. "So shall thy God rejoice over thee."

1 DECK thyself, my soul, with gladness,
Leave the gloomy haunts of sadness,
Come into the daylight's splendour,
There with joy thy praises render
Unto Him whose boundless grace
Grants thee at His feast a place;
He whom all the heavens obey
Deigns to dwell in thee to-day.

2 Hasten, as a bride, to meet Him, And with loving reverence greet Him, Who, with words of life immortal, Now is knocking at thy portal. Haste to make for Him a way, Cast thee at His feet, and say— "Since, O Lord! Thou com'st to me, Never will I turn from Thee."

3 Ah, how hungers all my spirit For the love I do not merit! Ah, how oft with sighs fast thronging For this food have I been longing, Tune Linus. 8888, 7777.

How have thirsted in the strife For this draught, O Prince of Life! Pined, O Friend of man! to be Ever one with God through Thee!

PART II.

4 Here I sink before Thee lowly, Filled with joy most deep and holy, As with trembling awe and wonder On Thy mighty works I ponder, On this banquet's mystery, On the depths we cannot see; Far beyond all mortal sight Lie the secrets of Thy might.

5 Sun, who all my life dost brighten! Light, who dost my soul enlighten! Joy, the sweetest man e'er knoweth! Fount whence all my being floweth! Here I fall before Thy feet: Grant me worthily to eat Of this blessed heavenly food. To Thy praise, and to my good! Catherine Winkworth, 1858.



John iii. 29. 1 HE cometh as the bridegroom comes,

3 He cometh as He came of old, Suddenly to His Father's shrine, Into the hearts He died to make

Unto the feast Himself hath spread, His flesh and blood the heavenly food With which true wedding-guests are fed.

Meet temples for His grace Divine. 4 He cometh-praises in the Church, And hymns of praise in heaven above, And in our hearts repentant faith, And love that springs to meet His love.

Cecil Frances Alexander, 1859.

2 He cometh gently as the dew, And sweet as drops of honey clear, And good as God's own manna-shower, To longing souls that wait Him here.

SWABIA.

[H. P. 82.]

Isa. xxv. 6. "A feast of fat things." Tune SWABIA. S. M.

¹ N^O gospel like this feast, Spread for Thy Church by Thee,

Nor prophet nor evangelist Preach the glad news so free.

2 All our redemption cost, All our redemption won, All it has won for us, the lost, All it cost Thee, the Son. See Hymns 779-791.

3 Thine was the bitter price. Ours is the free gift given; Thine was the blood of sacrifice, Ours is the wine of heaven.

4 For Thee the burning thirst, The shame, the mortal strife, The broken heart, the side transpierced To us the bread of life.

5 Here we would rest midway, As on a sacred height, That darkest and that brightest day Meeting before our sight.

6 From that dark depth of woes Thy love for us hath trod,
Up to the heights of blest repose
Thy love prepares with God.

7 Till, from self's chains released, One sight alone we see, Still at the cross, as at the feast, Behold Thee, only Thee! Mrs. Elizabeth Charles, 1870.

The Second Adbent, Titus ii. 13. "Looking for that Titus ii. 13. "Look blessed hope." Tune St. PAUL. 87, 887, 77, 77.

THOU art coming, O my Saviour!

Thou art coming, 0 my King! In Thy beauty all-resplendent, In Thy glory all-transcendent; Well may we rejoice and sing! Coming! In the opening east Herald brightness slowly swells; Coming! 0 my clorious Priest. Coming! O my glorious Priest, Hear we not Thy golden bells?

2 Thou art coming, Thou art coming!
We shall meet Thee on Thy way,
We shall see Thee, we shall know Thee,
We shall bless Thee, we shall show Thee
All our hearts could never say! What an anthem that will be, Ringing out our love to Thee. Pouring out our rapture sweet At Thine own all-glorious feet!

3 Not a cloud and not a shadow, Not a mist and not a tear, Not a sin and not a sorrow, Not a dim and veiled to-morrow, For that sunrise grand and clear! Jesus, Saviour, once with Thee, Nothing else seems worth a thought! Oh how marvellous will be All the bliss Thy pain hath bought!



PART II.

Thou art coming! At Thy table
We are witnesses for this,
While remembering hearts Thou meetest,
In communion clearest, sweetest,
Earnest of our coming bliss.
Showing not Thy death alone,
And Thy love exceeding great,
But Thy coming and Thy throne,
All for which we long and wait.

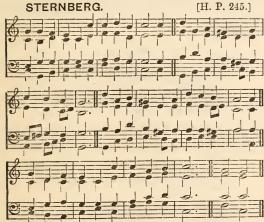
All for which we long and wait.

5 Thou art coming! We are waiting With a hope that cannot fail;
Asking not the day or hour,
Resting on Thy word of power,
Anchored safe within the veil.
Time appointed may be long,
But the vision must be sure:
Certainty shall make us strong,

Joyful patience shall endure!



6 Oh the joy to see Thee reigning,
Thee, my own beloved Lord!
Every tongue Thy name confessing,
Worship, honour, glory, blessing,
Brought to Thee with glad accord!
Thee, my Master and my Friend,
Vindicated and enthroned!
Unto earth's remotest end
Glorified, adored, and owned!
Frances Ridley Havergal, 1873.



1091 1 Cor. i. 7. "Waiting for the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ."

Tune STERNBERG. 11 10, 11 10.

WAITING for Jesus, and loving while waiting,
Loving to speak for His honour and praise,
Loving to sit at His feet and adore Him,

Loving to ponder His words and His ways.

2 Waiting for Jesus, and praying while waiting,
E'er in communion with Him whom I love;

E'er in communion with Him whom I love; E'er at the footstool of mercy imploring Showers of blessing on all from above.

3 Waiting for Jesus, and serving while waiting, Serving, and oh! what a Master to serve; Helping, rewarding, and cheering in labour; Oh that my heart from Him never may swerve!

Waiting for Jesus, and praising while waiting,
Praising in action, in word, and in song.
Oh! it is sweet to be ever rehearsing

Strains which eternity will but prolong.

Waiting for Jesus, and daily expecting;
Gazing to catch the first beams in the sky;
Oh! what a moment; 'its quickly approaching,
Moment of triumph, of rapture, and joy.

Albert Midlane, 1874.

See Humns 291—341.



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1092 John xiv. 3. "I will come again."
DISMISSAL. 87, 87, 47. Or TEMAN.

1 YES, we part, but not for ever;
1 Yoyful hopes our bosoms swell;
They who love the Saviour never
Know a long, a last farewell.
Blissful unions
Lie beyond this parting vale.

2 Sweet this hour of benediction,
When such unions come to mind,
When each holy heart-conviction,
With the promises combined,
Tell of meetings

By the Lord for us designed.

3 Oh what meetings are before us,
Brighter far than tongue can tell,
Glorious meetings to restore us
Him, with whom we long to dwell.
With what raptures

Will the sight our bosoms swell!

Thus we part, but not for ever;
Joyful hopes our bosoms swell;
They who love the Saviour never

Know a last, a long farewell.

Blissful unions
Lie beyond this parting vale.

See Hymns 1007-1025.

Joseph Denham Smith, 1800.



1093 2 Cor. iii. 18. "From glory to glory." Tune ZOAN I. 76, 76. D. Or EASTHAM.

1 "FROM glory unto glory!" Our faith hath We own His matchless beauty, as adoringly we sing; But He hath more to show us! Oh thought of untold bliss! And we press on exultingly in certain hope of this.

2 Our own beloved Master "hath many things to Look forward to His teaching, unfolding day by day; To whispers of His Spirit, while resting at His feet. To glowing revelation, to insight clear and sweet;

3 To marvellous outpourings of His "treasures new and old, To largess of His bounty, paid in the King's own gold.

To glorious expansion of His mysteries of grace, To radiant unveilings of the brightness of His face.

4 And "greater things," far greater, our longing eyes shall see!

We can but wait and wonder what "greater things" shall be;

But glorious fulfilments rejoicingly we claim, While pleading in the power of the All-Prevailing Name.

5 The fulness of His blessing encompasseth our way; The fulness of His promises crowns every brightening day; The fulness of His glory is beaming from above,

While more and more we realise the fulness of His love.

6 "From glory unto glory!" without a shade of care, Because the Lord who loves us will every burden bear;

Because we trust Him fully, and know that He will guide, And know that He will keep us at His beloved side.

PART II.

7 Abiding in His presence, and walking in the light, And seeking to "do always what is pleasing in His sight,

We look to Him to keep us "all-glorious within," Because "the blood of Jesus Christ is cleansing from all sin."

8 "From glory unto glory!" Our fellow-travellers Are gathering on the journey; the bright electric

thrill Of quick, instinctive union, more frequent and

more sweet, Shall swiftly pass from heart to heart, in true and tender beat.

9 And closer yet, and closer the golden bonds shall be, Enlinking all who love our Lord in pure sincerity; And wider yet, and wider, shall the circling glory glow.

As more and more are taught, of God, that mighty love to know.

10 O ye who seek the Saviour, look up in faith and love, Come up into the sunshine, so bright and warm above!

No longer tread the valley, but clinging to His

hand, Ascend the shining summits, and view the glorious land.

11 Our harp-notes should be sweeter, our trumpettones more clear,

Our anthems ring so grandly that all the world must hear!

Oh, royal be our music, for who hath cause to sing Like the chorus of redeemed ones, the children of the King!

12 In full and glad surrender we give ourselves to

Thine utterly, and only, and evermore to be! O Son of God, who lovest us, we will be Thine alone,

And all we are, and all we have, shall henceforth be Thine own.

See Hymns 439--448, 1011-1025, 1043, 1056, 1058, 1066.

Frances Ridley Havergal, 1873.

Glory : Anture.

1094 Rev. iv. 3. "There was a rainbow round about the throne."

Tune AQUILA. 8988, 8888.

¹ A ROUND that magnificent throne, Where the Lamb all His glory displays,

United for ever in one,
His people are singing His praise.
How holy, how happy are they!
No tongue can express their delight:
My soul, now unwilling to stay,
Prepares for her heavenly flight.

2 But why do I wish to be gone?
Do I want from the danger to flee?
And shall I do nothing for One
Who was such a Suff'rer for me?
Ah, Lord, let me think of the day
When Thou wast "rejected of men,"
And put the base wish far away;
And never be fearful again.

Thomas Kelly, 1809.

See Hymns 1011-1025.



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54 Heb. xiii. 5. "He hath said, I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee."

Tune EUNICE. 10 10, 10 10.

1 66 WHO will take care of me?" darling, you say!

Lovingly, tenderly, watched as you are! Listen! I give you the answer to-day, ONE who is never forgetful or far!

- 2 He will take care of you! All through the day Jesus is near you, to keep you from ill; Walking or resting, at lessons or play, Jesus is with you and watching you still.
- 3 He will take care of you! All through the night Jesus, the Shepherd, His little one keeps; Darkness to Him is the same as the light; He never slumbers, and He never sleeps.
- 4 He will take care of you! All through the year Crowning each day with His kindness and love, Sending you blessings, and shielding from fear, Leading you on to the bright home above.
- 5 He will take care of you! Yes, to the end!
 Nothing can alter His love to His own.
 Darling, be glad that you have such a Friend;
 He will not leave you one moment alone!
 Frances Ridley Havergal, 1873.



- 55 Zech. xiii. 7. "I will turn Mine hand upon the little ones."
- 1 THE little ones, the weak ones, The lambs of Jesus' care, Are folded in His bosom, And find their shelter there.
- 2 The little ones, the weak ones, The tremblers of the flock, Are rooted like the oak trees, Are grounded on the Rock.
- 3 The little ones, the weak ones, That Satan loves to try, Are just the kind of Christians That Satan's arts defy.
- 4 The little ones, the weak ones, That cry "What shall we do?" Are answered by Emmanuel, "My grace sufficeth you."
- Tune Köcker. 76, 76.
- 5 The little ones, the weak ones, Are yet the great and strong, Because it is to Jesus The small and weak belong.
- 6 And, knowing they are weak ones And also very small, They trust alone in Jesus, And not in self at all.

S. A. Walker, 1970.

87 Acts ix. 6. "Lord, what wilt Thou have me to do?"

Tune APPHIA. 98, 98. D.

OH what can I do for Friend so true, Oh what can I do for Jesus? I'll give Him all, and myself give too, Oh, that will I give to Jesus.

Chorus—Oh what can I do for Friend so true,
Oh what can I do for Jesus?
I'll give Him all, and myself give
too,
Oh, that will I do for Jesus.

2 Through the long dark night I have slumbered sweet, Neath His loving smile so tender; Never will I fear, for I know He's near, Ever near, my great Defender. Oh what can I do, etc.

3 The meadow and grove rejoice in love, Resounding the praise of Jesus. Shall we not join in that song Divine, "Hosanna to Him—to Jesus!" Oh what can I do, etc.

APPHIA.

[H. P. 332.]





4 Far above we hear voices sweet and clear,
"Tis the angels' song ascending:
And with them we'll sing of our Saviour King,
Of His love, His love unending.
Oh what can I do, etc.

George S. Weeks, 1870.

"BRIGHT JEWELS."

[H. P. 334.]





97 Ps. xcv. 1. "O come, let us sing unto the Lord." Tune BRIGHT JEWELS. 11 11, 11 11.

1 BRIGHT jewels of song to the Saviour we bring, Glad anthems of praise to our glorified King; With seraphs and angels before Thee we raise, In humbler devotion, our chorus of praise.

Bright jewels of song, Bright jewels of song, Bright jewels to Jesus, to Jesus belong.

- 2 Our grateful hosannas we offer to Thee, Proclaiming salvation so boundless and free, Till o'er the wide earth the sweet story we send Of Jesus, the sinner's Redeemer and Friend. Bright jewels, etc.
- 3 Accept Thou our offering; oh, make it sincere.
 These songs of rejoicing life's pathway shall cheer;
 And when with the ransomed in glory we sing,
 Bright jewels we'll shine in the crown of our King.
 Bright jewels, etc.

W. F. Sherwin, 1869.



116 Isa. Iviii. 13. "Call the Sabbath a delight."

Tune FORTUNATUS. 8888, 68, 88, 68.

- I LOVE the blessed Sabbath-day,
 "The first and best of all the seven,"
 I love to sing, to read, and pray,
 To hear of God, and Christ, and heaven.
 Happy day! happy day!
 I love the holy Sabbath-day,
 The day my God in love has given,
 That I might find the path to heaven.
 Happy day! happy day!
 I love the holy Sabbath-day.
- 2 'Tis sweet from earthly toils to rest, To worship at our Father's throne; To welcome Christ, the heavenly Guest, And thank Him for His mercy shown. Happy day! etc.
- 3 'Tis sweet the Spirit's power to prove, With lowly heart His grace to seek; 'Tis sweet to think of joys above, And thus with God commence the week. Happy day! etc.

J. Lees, " Sacred Songs," 1858.



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Matt, xxv. 22. "Behold I have gained two other talents."

- 1 GOD entrusts to all
 Talents few or many;
 None so young or small
 That they have not any.
- 2 Though the great and wise Have a greater number, Yet my one I prize, And it must not slumber.
- 3 God will surely ask, Ere I enter heaven, Have I done the task Which to me was given?
- 4 Little drops of rain

 Bring the springing flowers;

 And I may attain

 Much by little powers.

Tune JUNIA. 56, 56.

- 5 Every little mite, Every little measure, Helps to spread the light, Helps to swell the treasure.
- 6 God entrusts to all
 Talents few or many;
 None so young or small
 That they have not any.

 James Edmeston, 1846.



133 Phil. iv. 13. "I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me."

Tune, "'TIS A LESSON." 75, 75, 7775.

- 1 'TIS a lesson you should heed,
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 Try, try, try again.
 Then your courage should appear;
 For if you will persevere,
 You will conquer, never fear:
 Try, try, try again.
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 Try, try, try again.
 If we strive, 'tis no disgrace,
 Though at first we miss the race.
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 Try, try, try again.
- 3 If you find your task is hard,
 Try, try, try again.
 Prayer will bring you your reward,
 Try, try, try again.
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 Why, with patience, should not you?
 Only keep this rule in view,
 Try, try, try again.

"Hymns for Infant Schools," 1845.

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Master! how shall I bless Thy name
For Thy tender love to me,
For the sweet enablings of Thy grace,
So sovereign, yet so free,
That have taught me to obey Thy Word
And cast my care on Thee!

They tell of weary burdens borne,
For discipline of life,
Of long anxieties and doubts,
Of struggle and of strife,
Of a path of dim perplexities
With fears and shadows rife.

Oh! I have trod that weary path
With burdens not a few,
With shadowy faith that Thou would'st

And help me safely through, Trying to follow and obey And bear my burdens, too.

Master! dear Master, Thou didst speak,
And yet I did not hear,
Or long ago I might have ceased
From every care and fear,
And gone rejoicing on my way
From brightening year to year.

Just now and then some steeper slope Would seem so hard to climb, That I must east my load on Thee, And I left it for a time, And wondered at the joy of heart Like some sweet Christmas chime.

No anxious thought upon my brow The watching world should see, No carefulness, O child of God! For nothing careful be, But cast thou all thy care on Him Who always cares for thee.

Did not Thy loving Spirit come
In gentle, gracious shower.
To work Thy pleasure in my soul.
In that bright, blessed hour,
And to the word of strong command
Add faith and will and power?

It was Thy word, it was Thy will,
That was enough for me,
Henceforth no care would dim my trust,
For all was cast on Thee:
Henceforth my inmost heart will praise
The grace that set me free.

